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• PATERSON AVE. ... EAST RUTHERFORD ... NEW JERSEY •

Over Half a Century of Service to Garden Lovers

The Newer **EVERBLOOMING ROSES**

Here we offer what we consider to be the very best of the newer introductions. Those marked with the symbol  deserve a special word, for they have been winners in the All-America competition. This method of testing new Roses before they are offered to the public has been of great value to all concerned. In six demonstration and twenty official test gardens in all sections of the country, with a wide variation in soil and climate, the new Roses are tested and judged by experts. Not only color but hardiness, disease resistance and many other important qualities are given full consideration. Under these conditions only the very best of the new Roses receive an award. The  symbol is a badge of merit pointing out these prize-winners.

APPLAUSE. (H. C. Swim, 1947.) *Pat.* 829. Red. Bagatelle Gold Medal, 1949. Another descendant of the famous variety Charlotte Armstrong. Big, fragrant buds of sparkling, dazzling reddish pink opening to cerise. Perfectly shaped, 50-petaled, open blooms heavy with fragrance. Very free blooming. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CALIFORNIA. (Howard & Smith, 1937.) *Pat.* 449. Bicolor. Large flowers of bronzy apricot with an iridescent sheen, reverse coppery pink; delicious fragrance. Healthy plants with attractive small foliage. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG. (W. E. Lammerets, 1940.) *Pat.* 455. Red. The color is warm red in the bud opening to cerise in hot weather and spectrum-red in cooler weather. Its long and pointed bud opens into a long-lasting, fragrant flower 3 to 4 inches in diameter. Foliage deep green and highly resistant to mildew. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CRIMSON GLORY. (Kordes, 1935.) *Pat.* 105. Red. A beautiful crimson flower shaded deep red and mellowed by a velvety nap. Wonderful fragrance. Wherever rosarians congregate, Crimson Glory is always acclaimed the very best dark, velvety crimson-red garden Rose for the United States. 30 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

DIAMOND JUBILEE. (E. S. Boerner 1947.) *Pat.* 824. Buff-orange. Flowers very large, double and high centered; color intensified in cool weather. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

ECLIPSE. (J. H. Nicolas, 1935.) *Pat.* 172. Yellow. The very long, slender, and notably elegant yellow buds open to loose flowers with 25 to 30 golden yellow petals, which hold their color well. Fragrant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

Group Offer S-52-2

CRIMSON GLORY. *Pat.* 105. Deep red, velvety nap.

ECLIPSE. *Pat.* 172. Golden yellow.

GOOD NEWS. *Pat.* 426. Peach-pink.

MME. COCHET-COCHET. *Pat.* 129. Salmon-pink.

SUTTER'S GOLD. *Pat.* 885. Orange-yellow to reddish gold.

All five for \$8.30

(Regular Value \$9.25)

FORTY-NINER. (H. C. Swim, 1949.) *Pat.* 792. Bicolor. Probably the most brilliantly hued bicolor Rose ever introduced. Its contrasting colors are startling in their brilliance, and yet they blend together beautifully. The inside of the petals is a vivid Oriental red, while the outside is chrome-yellow, changing to straw-yellow. 25 to 40 petals; mildly fragrant. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

FRED HOWARD. (Howard & Smith, 1951.) *Pat.* 1006. Yellow. A new rich yellow Rose, with the long buds penciled soft pink at the tips. Well-formed, broad flowers with 50 to 60 petals; golden orange when fully open. Long cutting stems. Very strong and hardy growth; tall. \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.50.

GOOD NEWS. (Meilland, 1940.) *Pat.* 426. Peach-pink. Full, perfectly formed, tea-scented flowers of peach-pink changing to silvery pink. Vigorous grower and constant bloomer. An extra-good Rose. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

HEART'S DESIRE. (Howard & Smith, 1940.) *Pat.* 501. Crimson. Intensely fragrant, large, double flowers of rich crimson-red on long stems. Dark green, leathery foliage. 25 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.



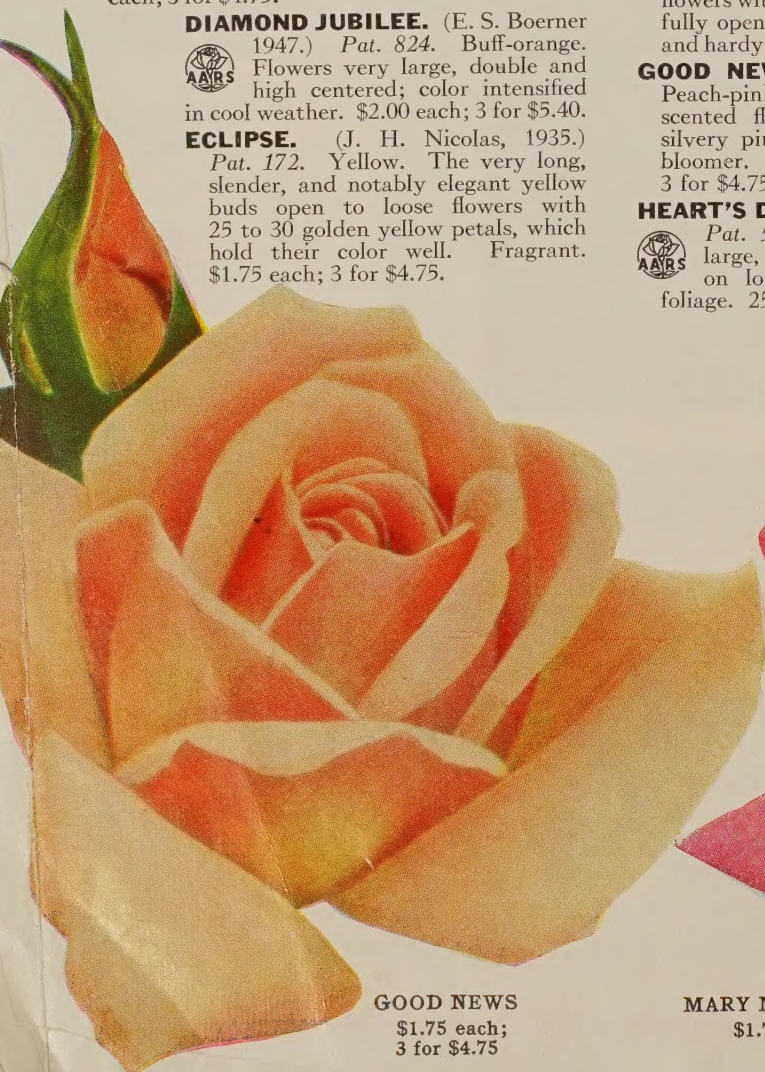
NOCTURNE
\$2.00 each;
3 for \$5.40

HELEN TRAUBEL. (H. C. Swim, 1951.) *Pat.* 1028. Pink. Unusually large, tapered buds open to fine cutting Roses on long stems. The color varies somewhat with the weather; sometimes the lively pink takes on an orange tone. Sturdy plants, blooming freely. Leathery, dull green foliage. \$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.50.

KATHERINE T. MARSHALL. (E. S. Boerner, 1943.) *Pat.* 607. Coral-pink. Long-pointed coral-pink buds suffused yellow, opening to large, beautifully cupped blooms with a fruity fragrance. Tall, vigorous plants with good dark foliage. 22 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

LILY PONS. (The Brownells, 1938.) *Pat.* 420. Yellow. Long-pointed buds open to large, very double, fragrant flowers; the center is deep yellow shading out to palest yellow and white. This Rose is vigorous, with handsome foliage and profuse flowers. 50 petals. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

LOWELL THOMAS. (Mallerin, 1943.) *Pat.* 595. Chrome-yellow. Large, well-formed blooms of chrome-yellow, that are long-lasting even in the sun. Strong plants reaching a height of 3 feet. 35 petals. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.



GOOD NEWS
\$1.75 each;
3 for \$4.75



SUTTER'S GOLD
\$2.25 each;
3 for \$6.00

MARY MARGARET McBRIDE
\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

THE NEWER EVERBLOOMING ROSES, continued

MANDALAY. (Mallerin, 1942.) Pat. 775. Yellow. The largest of all yellow Roses. A hardy prolific clear, pure golden yellow bloomer of eye-filling splendor all summer. Always in bloom. Long stylish buds. Not available this fall. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MARY MARGARET McBRIDE. (J. H. Nicolas, 1941.) Pat. 537. Pink. This radiant Rose will shed its glowing light in your garden all season. Buds deep coral-pink with gold base, opening to high-centered, double, clear pink flowers. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

McGREDY'S SUNSET. (McGredy, 1936.) Pat. 317. Brilliant orange base overlaid with velvety scarlet hues—the colors of a gorgeous sunset, as the name implies. Full-petaled and sweetly fragrant. The plant is exceptionally healthy. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

MIRANDY. (W. E. Lammerts, 1945.) Pat. 632. Dark red. Maroon-red buds and blooms of good substance. This new 50-petaled Rose is very fragrant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

MISSION BELLS. (T. Morris, 1949.) Pat. 923. Pink. Exceptionally beautiful shade of deep salmon-pink opening to full blooms of clear shrimp-pink often measuring 5 inches across, which retain their brilliant color and fine form until the end. Many long-pointed buds on free-branching plants with attractive coppery green foliage. Pleasing, alluring tea-scented fragrance. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MME. COCHET-COCHET. (C. Mallerin, 1934.) Pat. 129. Pink. Long-pointed, coppery pink buds, flushed with orange, open to fragrant, cupped flowers of soft salmon-pink, glistening with a satiny sheen. 20 to 40 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

NEW YORKER. (E. S. Boerner, 1947.) Pat. 823. Fiery red blooms on long stiff stems. Well-formed bud and bloom, very fragrant. Sturdy, disease-resistant plant. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

NOCTURNE. (H. C. Swim, 1947.) Pat. 713. The long streamlined buds and open blooms are cardinal-red with very dark shadings of chrysanthemum-crimson. The bush grows big and sturdy with large, abundant, semi-glossy foliage. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

ROSE PRICES

To obtain the "three rate," you must order three or more of one variety to one address.

PEACE. (A. Meilland, 1945.) Pat. 591. Magnificent spectacle for flower show, garden or home. The large ovoid buds are yellow, soon showing a watermelon-pink picotee edging to the petals. Huge, full, open bloom, which undergoes a transformation of coloring from cream-yellow to a delicate overall flush of pink suffused with softening yellow to alabaster-white as the blooms open. The plants grow more vigorously and are taller than most Hybrid Teas. Long-stemmed specimen blooms are produced abundantly. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50.

RUBAIYAT. (McGredy, 1945.) Pat. 758. Brilliant red. A red Rose producing a glorious riot of deep scintillating crimson in your garden. Long, shapely buds with a delicate crimson-pink exterior which open slowly, revealing rich crimson-red-rose color and elusive old Rose fragrance. Extremely hardy, grows extra tall and has luxuriant dark green foliage. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

SAN FERNANDO. (Morris, 1948.) Pat. 785. Red. Scarlet and brilliant currant-red best describes its color. Full petalage and good form of both bud and open bloom are all you could ask for on a new red Rose. Very fragrant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

SUTTER'S GOLD. (H. C. Swim, 1950.) Pat. 885. Yellow. This remarkable Rose features exquisite long-pointed, bright yellow buds, richly shaded with orange and red. The opening flower is a lovely high-centered arrangement of up to 30 crisp, heavy-textured petals and it possesses a fragrance unequaled in any other yellow Rose. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

TAFFETA. (W. E. Lammerts, 1947.) Pat. 716. The changeable Rose of many colors. Long-stemmed, perfectly formed, fragrant buds in rich pastel pink, salmon and yellow shades that everyone likes. Big, glossy, mahogany-colored foliage. Not available this fall. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

TALLYHO. (H. C. Swim, 1949.) Pat. 828. A bicolor but the contrast is not great. Color on the inside of the petals is a varying but always delightful and unique shade of pink; outside is rich crimson. Buds before they unfold are deep cardinal-red. Long-stemmed blooms open slowly and well. Large flower; big, free-branching plant. Spicy fragrance. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

WILL ROGERS. (Howard & Smith, 1936.) Pat. 256. Red. The 3-inch open flowers are packed with a large number of short and twisted petals of velvety black-crimson. 65 petals. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.



ECLIPSE
\$1.75 each;
3 for \$4.75

Group Offer S-52-3

DIAMOND JUBILEE. Pat. 824. Buff-orange.
HELEN TRAUBEL. Pat. 1028. Apricot and luminous pink.

MARY MARGARET McBRIDE. Pat. 537. Coral-pink, golden base.

McGREDY'S SUNSET. Pat. 317. Orange-yellow, overlaid with scarlet hues.

NOCTURNE. Pat. 713. Cardinal-red to crimson.

PEACE. Pat. 591. Yellow, finishing alabaster-white shaded pink.

All six for \$11.25 net
(Regular Value \$12.75)



CRIMSON GLORY
\$1.75 each;
3 for \$4.75



McGREDY'S SUNSET
\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

All-America ROSE



In order to raise Rose standards to a higher peak of perfection, a group of Rose nurserymen founded in 1938 the non-profit organization called All-America Rose Selections, Inc. Gradually there were test and demonstration gardens established from coast to coast until there are now a total of twenty-six. Here impartial experts judge and score new and improved varieties in a uniform point system over a period of at least two years. Hundreds of varieties have thus been tested and scored within recent years, but only the comparatively few achieving near-perfect scores are finally selected for the highest Rose honor—an All-America Rose Selections award. We are glad to be a member of this great organization and to offer to you some of the most noteworthy of these prizewinners. Over the years from 1940 through 1951, all of the Roses on these two pages received the coveted award. They should live and thrive for many years in your garden.



FRED HOWARD
\$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.50



SAN FERNANDO
\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75



LOWELL THOMAS
\$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40



CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG
\$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

CHARLOTTE ARMSTRONG. *Pat. 455.* Rose-red.
FRED HOWARD. *Pat. 1006.* Yellow, penciled pink.
HELEN TRAUBEL. *Pat. 1028.* Pink.
KATHERINE T. MARSHALL. *Pat. 607.* Soft salmon-pink.
LOWELL THOMAS. *Pat. 595.* Clear yellow.
MIRANDY. *Pat. 632.* Rich crimson.
PEACE. *Pat. 591.* Creamy yellow with overall flush of pink.
RUBAIYAT. *Pat. 758.* Deep cerise-pink.
SAN FERNANDO. *Pat. 785.* Glowing currant-red.
TALLYHO. *Pat. 828.* Two-toned carmine-rose.

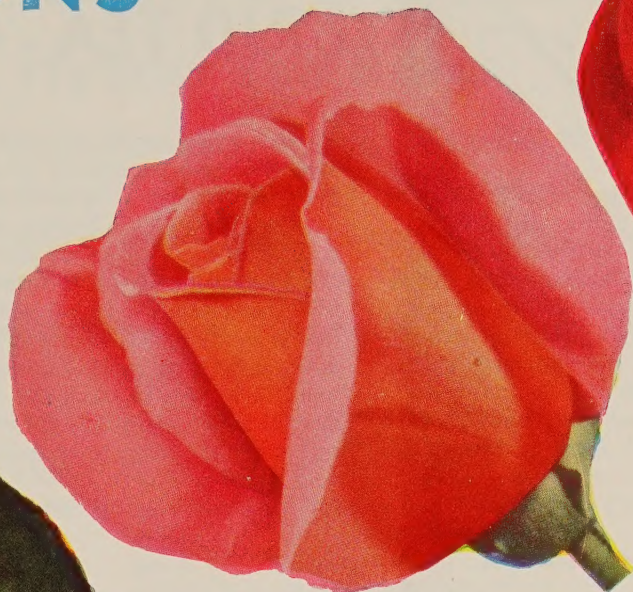
GROUP OFFER S-52-1

All Ten for **\$18.50** net

(Regular value \$21.00)

SELECTIONS

Rose lovers who plant the varieties proudly presented here will be thrilled with their beauty. Give them the simple and loving care they deserve, and gratifying results will be yours. Spaced about 18 inches apart, more or less as you wish, ten plants may be set out in a bed approximately 3 feet wide by 7 feet long. They should have at least a half-day of sunshine.



HELEN TRAUBEL
\$2.75 each; 3 for \$7.50



RUBAIYAT
\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75



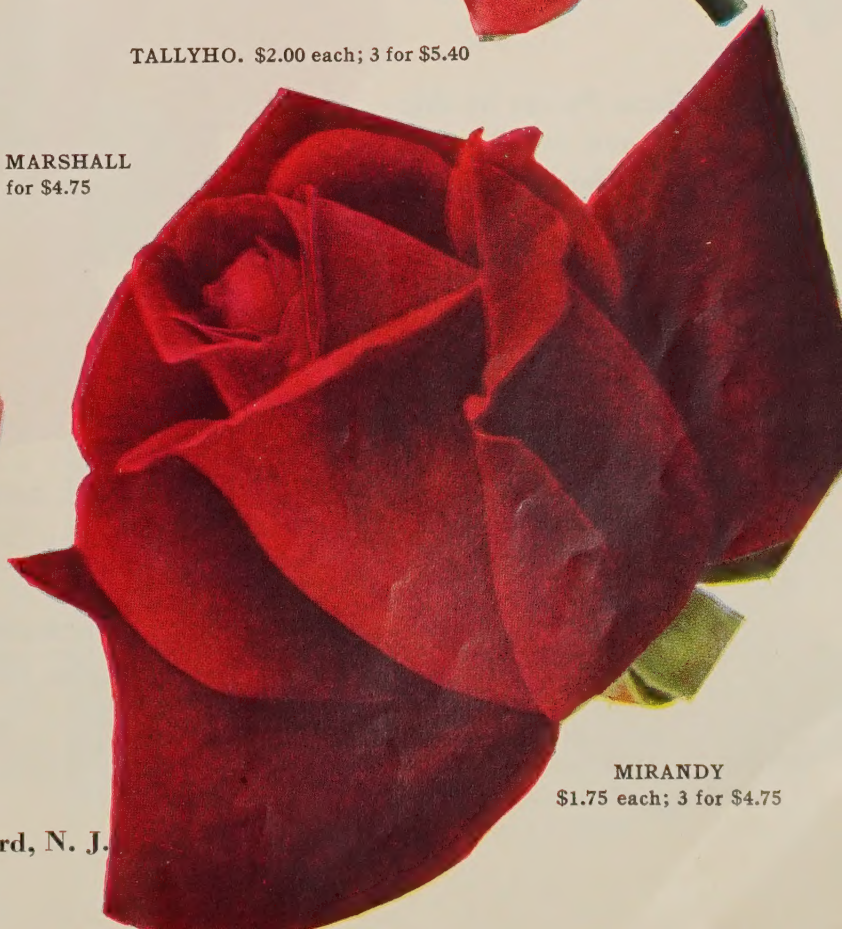
PEACE
\$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.50



TALLYHO. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40



KATHERINE T. MARSHALL
\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75



MIRANDY
\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

Everblooming HYBRID TEA Roses

PRICES AS NOTED, LESS QUANTITY DISCOUNT OF 10% FROM THE EACH RATE FOR ANY 50 OR MORE ROSES

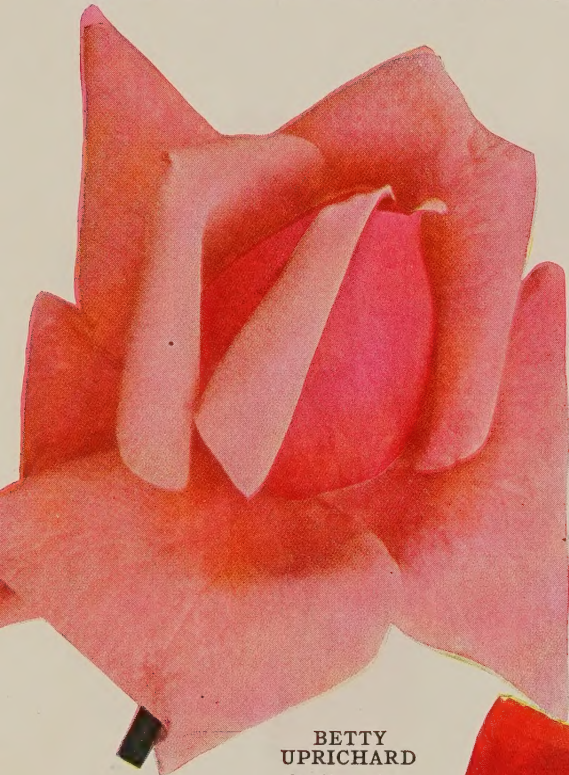
From the long list of thousands of varieties we and others have brought into commerce over a period of many years, you will find in this section only those that have survived the test for plant-vigor and blooming habits in most parts of the United States.

The everblooming Roses give beautiful flowers over the longest season, beginning about ten weeks after they are planted in spring and continuing right up until late frosts. Those planted in the fall produce their finest blooms the first year in early summer and continue throughout the season. Practically all Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses are fragrant at some time of the day. Most of them are hardy all over the United States if protected in winter as recommended on the cultural instructions that accompany each shipment.

We have purposely omitted reference to comparative plant-vigor because practically all of them are found dependable under the widest range of soil and climatic conditions.

PLANTING DIRECTIONS: Average 15 to 18 inches apart each way. This does not mean that Hybrid Tea Roses must be planted in a bed by themselves. It is true that when they are planted in quantities, then one should keep them together to simplify maintenance. However, delightful effects are obtained by planting groups of 3 to 5 near the edges of shrubbery borders, or wherever it may be suitable for you to enjoy the lovely Roses even though it may be in partial shade. Most of the tested varieties in this section will thrive in an ordinary garden soil capable of growing other deciduous plants.

HEIGHTS: Where letter follows name, D indicates 1 to 1½ feet; T, 3 feet and over. All others are average height, 2 to 2½ feet.



BETTY UPRICHARD. T. Bicolor. (A. Dickson, 1922.) Semi-double, salmon-pink with coppery reverse; verberna fragrance. Tall, branching. 20 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

All Rose Prices in this catalog are for 2-year, No.1, Field-grown dormant Roses

ALICE STERN. White. (F. Gillot, 1926.) This excellent white Rose we are very proud to have "resurrected," so to speak. Its ideal long-pointed, pure white bud, opening to a full 45-petaled Rose, against the lustrous and bronzy foliage, altogether make it a prize-winning white. Really don't know why it almost went out of commerce, but at any rate we're growing a lot of them for the future. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

BARCELONA. Red. (Kordes, 1932.) Large, full, cup-shaped flowers of velvety black-crimson. Plants are vigorous and upright. Highly fragrant blooms are continuously produced. 75 petals. Not available this fall. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

BETTY UPRICHARD. T. Bicolor. (A. Dickson, 1922.) Semi-double, salmon-pink with coppery reverse; verberna fragrance. Tall, branching. 20 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CALEDONIA. White. (Dobbie, 1928.) Large, very double, high-centered flower of pure white, borne singly on long, strong stem. Average plant with leathery, dark green foliage. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CHARLES K. DOUGLAS. T. Red. (H. Dickson, 1919.) Large, double, fragrant flowers of flaming scarlet, flushed velvety crimson. This is one of the indispensable garden Roses and produces attractive flowers all through the season. Plants are extra good, with healthy foliage. 24 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CHATEAU DE CLOS VOUGEOT. Red. (Pernet-Ducher, 1908.) Large, double flowers of bright velvety red, overlaid dark garnet. Alluring fragrance. Low spreading plants—bloom freely. 75 petals. Not available this fall. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.



CONDESA DE SASTAGO. T. Bicolor. (P. Dot, 1932.) Cupped flowers of fiery copper inside and rich gold on the reverse. Enticing raspberry fragrance. Vigorous plants. 50 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CONDESA DE SASTAGO. T. Bicolor. (P. Dot, 1932.) Cupped flowers of fiery copper inside and rich gold on the reverse. Enticing raspberry fragrance. Vigorous plants. 50 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CHRISTOPHER STONE. Red. (H. Robinson, 1935.) Bright velvety scarlet-red flowers of good form. Its golden stamens appear as the bloom opens. Damask fragrance. Vigorous, upright grower, free flowering, and does not appear to be troubled by heat. 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



© **COUNTESS VANDAL.** \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

CONTRAST. Bicolor. (Howard & Smith, 1937.) Long-stemmed, high-centered, double, china-pink and bronze flowers with a white and bronze reverse. Vigorous, compact grower and profuse bloomer. Not available this fall. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

COUNTESS VANDAL. Bicolor. (M. Leenders, 1932.) Long-pointed bud and a high-centered, fragrant flower of coppery bronze, suffused with soft gold, developing added beauty during its long life. 30 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



CHRISTOPHER STONE. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

B. & A. FAVORITE DOZEN

Everblooming Hybrid Tea Roses

For the Rose lover who plants Roses for Roses' sake, regardless of when they were first introduced, a planting of these varieties can be depended on to produce dozens of perfect, long-stemmed, fragrant blooms for years to come, beginning about ten weeks after a spring planting; those planted in fall will begin blooming the following summer. They may well be considered the backbone of every good Rose collection. These varieties represent the most vigorous growing plants in our nursery for the past two years. An average garden soil able to produce a good crop of annuals, perennials or vegetables will produce good Roses on these easy-growing, disease-resistant kinds.

BETTY UPRICHARD. Salmon-pink.

CHARLES K. DOUGLAS. Scarlet to crimson.

COUNTESS VANDAL. Copper-bronze to golden pink.

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. Crimson-red.

MARGARET ANNE BAXTER. Snow-white.

MARGARET McGREDY. Orange-scarlet.

McGREDY'S YELLOW. Canary-yellow.

MISS ROWENA THOM. Mauve-pink.

MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT. Rich golden yellow.

SOUTHPORT. Scarlet-red.

SOUV. DE JEAN SOUPERT. Deep golden yellow.

THE DOCTOR. Sparkling pink.

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ALL 12 FOR

\$15.85
NET

(Regular Value \$18.25)

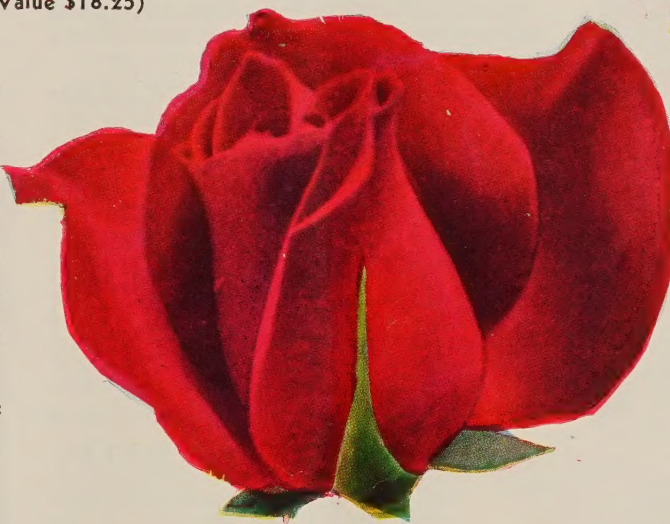
N.B. Our very best top-grade Rose plants are used to fill orders for all Special Offers in Groups throughout this catalog. Should one or two varieties become sold out as the season advances, we reserve the right to use similar kinds of equal or greater value.



THE DOCTOR
\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



SOUV. DE JEAN SOUPERT
\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75



ETOILE DE HOLLANDE
\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



MRS. P. S. DU PONT
\$1.50 each;
3 for \$4.00

Spaced about 16 to 18 inches apart each way twelve may be planted in a bed approximately 3 by 8 feet. This selection represents a wide range of sparkling Rose colors which will all blend harmoniously in the same bed.



SOUTHPORT. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES, continued



DAYLIGHT

\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

DAYLIGHT. Peach. (Dr. W. Cross, 1939.) Very large, double, fragrant flowers of light peach color emerging from lovely buds. Center petals are soft satiny pink, the outer ones creamy white. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON. Yellow. (A. Dickson, 1909.) Graceful, tapering buds of golden orange and saffron open to sweetly fragrant flowers of great size and substance. Vigorous, free-blooming plant. A lovely old Rose with delicious tea fragrance. 17 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

DUQUESA DE PENARANDA. Bicolor. (P. Dot, 1931.) Spectacular double flowers of cinnamon-peach color; very fragrant. Strong plants with attractive foliage. 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

EDITH NELLIE PERKINS. Pink. (A. Dickson, 1928.) Shapely, two-toned pink flowers produced in great abundance. Color is coppery rose outside and soft salmon-pink inside. Mildly fragrant. Plants branch freely. 40 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



EDITH NELLIE PERKINS

\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. Red. (Verschuren, 1919.) Large, crimson flowers with velvety finish and especially fine fragrance. Branching plants with very large, healthy foliage. We consider it the finest red Rose in the world. The very large, fragrant flowers are superb when in the half-open state. 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GOLDEN DAWN. Yellow. (P. Grant, 1929.) Glorious, double flowers of lemon-yellow, nicely formed and deliciously fragrant. Petals of bud edged carmine. 45 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GOLDEN RAPTURE. Yellow. (Kordes, 1933.) Large, high-centered flowers of golden yellow, with an old-Rose fragrance. Upright plants with large, glossy foliage. Well-formed flower. 40 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GRUSS AN TEPLITZ. T. Red. (Geschwind, 1897.) A large, bushy, shrub-like plant with medium-sized double blooms of brilliant crimson, velvety and fragrant. Yields quantities of flowers from early summer until frost. 33 petals. Excellent for planting in back or in front of low, white picket fences. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

KAISERIN AUGUSTE VIKTORIA. White. (P. Lambert, 1891.) Creamy buds, and perfect, snow-white blooms tinted lemon-yellow at center; fragrant. Medium upright growth. 99 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

KILLARNEY DOUBLE WHITE. White. (A. N. Pierson, 1912.) Long-pointed, snow-white buds typically Killarney; open flowers large, full, and fragrant. 30 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

LADY ALICE STANLEY. Pink. (McGredy, 1909.) Very large, silvery pink flowers; sweetly fragrant. Deeply veined foliage. Over forty years old and still one of the best garden Roses. 75 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

LA FRANCE. Pink. (Guillot fils, 1867.) Bright pink flowers with curled petals gleaming with silvery tints; intensely fragrant. The first Hybrid Tea Rose, La France has long held an esteemed place among rosarians. Its truly delightful fragrance and beauty are most enjoyable. 60 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

MARCIA STANHOPE. White. (Lilley, 1922.) A large, perfectly formed, semi-double, pure white Rose with magnificent golden stamens showing through. Good dependable white Roses are still scarce; we consider this one of the best. Very fragrant. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MARGARET ANNE BAXTER. White. (T. Smith, 1927.) Large buds and fragrant, snow-white flowers, sometimes tinted a soft flesh-pink. A fine plant yielding pretty flowers. One of the very best white Roses. We have been growing it for a long while and shall continue to do so. Our customers love it wherever we have recommended it. 75 to 100 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



GOLDEN RAPTURE. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



LADY ALICE STANLEY. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

Bobbink & Atkins Hybrid Tea Roses—Not Available Elsewhere

DAYLIGHT. Peach and satiny pink.

DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON. Golden orange and saffron-yellow.

LADY ALICE STANLEY. Large, silvery pink.

LA FRANCE. The first Hybrid Tea. Deliciously fragrant. Pink.

MARCIA STANHOPE. White.

SUNTAN. Orange to tanned yellow.

GROUP OFFER S-52-5. All six for \$9.25 net

(Regular Value \$10.25)

These Hybrid Tea Roses of yesterday, so to speak, are still cherished by older rosarians everywhere. There must be many good reasons why they have proved their value over a period of from twenty to forty years and more. We continue their propagation, not for sentimental reasons, but on the basis of sheer plant performance and beauty. (All these were favorites of the late L. C. Bobbink.)

EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES, continued

McGREDY'S SCARLET. T.

Red. (McGredy, 1930.) Large, loosely formed, vivid rose-red flowers. Plants are healthy and large. This Rose is not scarlet—it is red, and one of the best. Very slight Tea fragrance. Blooms almost continually. 35 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



McGREDY'S SCARLET. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



MISS ROWENA THOM. Pink.

(Howard & Smith, 1927.) A big Rose on a big plant. Enormous buds open to great flowers of fiery rose shaded with mauve; fragrant. 55 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MISS ROWENA THOM
\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

MME. BUTTERFLY. Pink. (E. G. Hill, 1918.)

Perfectly formed, light pink flowers faintly tinted with gold. Richly perfumed. The ideal form of buds and open blooms of this grand old Hybrid Tea is often considered the standard of excellence by which newer varieties are judged. 30 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

MME. JOSEPH PERRAUD. Bicolor. (Gaujard, 1934.) Long, slender buds of nasturtium-orange opening to sweetly fragrant flowers of nasturtium-buff, with a hint of pale pink at the petal edges. Popular all over the country. An excellent flower for exhibition purposes. 28 petals. Not available this fall. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MME. JULES BOUCHE. White. (Croibier, 1911.) Perfectly formed, long-pointed buds and high-centered flowers of pure white with a slight pink tint in the center at first; moderately fragrant. Healthy plants, always in bloom. Many rosarians believe this to be the finest white Rose. 34 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MARGARET McGREDY. T. Red. (McGredy, 1927.) Double, cup-shaped flowers open orange-scarlet, turning a peculiar shade of carmine-rose. Blooms constantly. 30 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

McGREDY'S YELLOW. Yellow. (McGredy, 1933.) Unfading canary-yellow flower of excellent form with a mass of gold anthers glorifying the center of the flower. Plants vigorous and free blooming, with dark, glossy, holly-like foliage. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MME. LEON PAIN. Pink. (P. Guillot, 1904.) Lovely double, soft flesh-pink flowers of excellent form; moderately fragrant. Plants medium in height. Few other pink Roses can outflower it, outlive it, or compare with its lovely, clean color. 43 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

MRS. CHARLES BELL. T. Pink. (Mrs. C. J. Bell, 1917.) A sport of Red Radiance with fragrant flowers of similar form but of an exquisite delicate salmon-pink coloring. The only Rose of this color and so distinct and brilliant that one never need hesitate to identify Mrs. Charles Bell. The color may be compared to that well-known salmon-pink peony, Walter Faxon. 27 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

AUGUST 1st DEADLINE

Rose Communications regarding plant performance must reach us by August first following a fall or spring planting.



MME. BUTTERFLY. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75



McGREDY'S YELLOW
\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



MARGARET McGREDY. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



Bobbink & Atkins Roses in the New York Botanical Gardens

To the thousands of Rose lovers who visit the New York Botanical Gardens in the Bronx, New York City, this small view of the Rose garden will revive memories of pleasant hours and a real atmosphere of Roses. Through the unflinching devotion of the late Mr. Bobbink to the Rose in America, we have donated practically all the Rose plants to this world-famous institution, where they are perfectly maintained by a capable staff. New and improved varieties are added yearly in addition to the older ones still in fine condition since the Garden was first started in 1920. Visitors are always welcome.

MRS. ERSKINE PEMBROKE THOM. Yellow. (Howard & Smith, 1926.) Pure, unfading, fragrant yellow flowers of fine form. Beautiful growth. Very hardy. 43 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT. Yellow. (Mallerin, 1929.) Nicely formed buds and double flowers of rich red-gold, almost orange in the depths of petals; spicy fragrance. A yellow Rose which blooms all the time and supplies good flowers. The plants are bushy and the glossy foliage is attractive. 42 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MRS. SAM MCGREDY. Bicolor. (McGredy, 1929.) Color is scarlet-orange, changing to copper as the blooms mature; delicately perfumed. Branching plants with red canes and beautiful bronzy foliage. 40 petals. Not available this fall. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

NATIONAL FLOWER GUILD. T. Red. (Mallerin, 1927.) Full, double, fragrant flowers of unfading scarlet-red. Tall, branching plants with healthy, leathery, rich green foliage; quite at home in mixed shrubbery plantings or in back of a white picket fence. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

OPHELIA. Pink. (W. Paul & Son, 1912.) A creamy white and pale pink bloom with a glint of golden yellow in the folds of its petals; very fragrant. Mme. Butterfly is a sport or direct descendant of Ophelia and better in some respects. Supply of Ophelia very limited. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER. T. Bicolor. (Coddington, 1930.) Large flowers of flaming scarlet and yellow in the bud, opening to soft creamy yellow with scarlet markings. Vigorous plants with flowers on 2-foot stems. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PRESIDENT MACIA. Pink. (M. Leenders, 1933.) Rose-bud of a lovely shade of pink, marked with heavy veins of darker pink. When open, the face of the petals is pale flesh warmed with a yellow flush toward the base, the reverse the rich pink of the buds. Fruity scent. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PICTURE. Pink. (McGredy, 1932.) Splendidly formed, medium-sized flowers of velvety rose-pink, the petals pleasingly reflexed. Well named, as both form and color are very lovely. A fine cutting Rose; unusually free blooming. 34 petals. Not available this fall. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PINK DAWN. Pink. (Howard & Smith, 1935.) A handsome deep rose-pink flower, opening to lively pink with an orange base; sweetly fragrant. Vigorous, upright habit. One of the best modern pink Roses. 60 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

POINSETTIA. Red. (Howard & Smith, 1938.) Semi-double flowers of a bright rich scarlet produced freely all season on vigorous plants of fairly tall growth. Rich tea fragrance. 28 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

Rose Quantity Discounts

Deduct 10% discount from the EACH RATE for any 50 Roses or more in any class.



PRES. HERBERT HOOVER
\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



PRES. MACIA
\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



POINSETTIA
\$1.50 each;
3 for \$4.00

STARTED ROSES IN POTS

*For Local Sales and Display
from Mid-May through June*

**(None can be shipped by Express
or Parcel Post)**

Visit the Nursery to see the regular 2-year, No. 1 field-grown Roses established, growing, and budding or blooming in large pots or containers. Transplant them easily and safely to your garden in May and June with assurance of 100% success.

Hundreds of varieties may be viewed in a comparatively small area instead of walking through miles of nursery rows. The varieties available in pots are practically all of those listed in the Everblooming Hybrid Tea, Floribunda, Polyantha, Climbing, and Tree Rose classes, but no others.

Prices of Started or Potted Roses

It must be thoroughly explained that all prices or rates for Roses in this catalog are for **dormant**, bare-root plants. It is obvious why there must be an increase in prices to partially compensate for the added labor and material so necessary in caring for Roses in pots. During the winter we put them in large 9-inch Cloverset Pots holding 8 to 10 pounds of good soil. Most of them will be sold at the flat rate of about \$2.25 each, except certain Patented Roses, where the prices for dormant plants are already \$2.00 or more. **PRICE LIST FOR POTTED ROSES AVAILABLE ONLY AT THE NURSERY IN MAY AND JUNE.**

No catalog discounts or group offer rates apply to Potted Roses.

RADIANCE. T. Pink. (J. Cook, 1908.) Globular, cupped flowers of two-toned pink, light silvery tone inside and deeper on outside. Vigorous, free blooming. The standard pink Rose. Deliciously fragrant. 23 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

RED RADIANCE. T. Red. (Gude Bros., 1916.) A red sport of Radiance and exactly like its parent in everything but color; fragrant. 23 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SOEUR THERESE. T. Yellow. (F. Gillot, 1930.) Exquisite buds and semi-double, cupped flowers of golden yellow, with edge of petals spotted madder-carmine. Sweetbriar fragrance. Strong growth, good foliage. 25 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SOUTHPORT. Red. (McGredy, 1933.) A brilliant, unshaded scarlet Rose, with fine tea scent. Recommended for spectacular effect. One of the most popular scarlet-red Roses on the Pacific Coast but thrives and blooms equally as well here in the East. 18 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

We Suggest You Join *The American Rose Society*

Write us for full particulars

EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES, continued



RADIANCE

\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

RED RADIANCE

The "Radiance" Collection

GROUP OFFER S-52-6

All 6 for \$7.95 net

(Regular value \$9.00)

For vigor of growth and abundance of bloom, the ever-reliable Pink and Red Radiance are still "tops." Here are four more varieties, in all colors and of equal vigor, especially good for the beginner.

EDITH NELLIE PERKINS. Copper-rose and salmon-pink.

MME. JULES BOUCHE. Pearly white.

PRESIDENT HERBERT HOOVER. Two-tone yellow and carmine.

RADIANCE. Silvery pink.

RED RADIANCE. Red.

SOEUR THERESE. Rich golden yellow, marbled carmine.

SOUVENIR DE JEAN SOUPERT. Yellow. (Soupert & Notting, 1929.) Long, tapering, deep golden yellow buds slowly unfold to superb yellow blooms of perfect form. Unforgettable fragrance. Handsome, bronzy foliage. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

SUNTAN. Yellow. (Dr. W. Cross, 1939.) Very large, double, orange-yellow flowers opening to clear yellow. 35 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

TALISMAN. Bicolor. (Montgomery Co., 1929.) Variable flowers ranging from rich scarlet and gold to deep rose and pale yellow; fragrant. One of the first multi-colored Roses. 25 petals. Not available this fall. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

THE DOCTOR. Pink. (Howard & Smith, 1936.) Immense, long-pointed buds of sparkling pink slowly open to great flowers 5 to 6 inches across of exquisite, satiny, silvery pink. Fragrance is intense. Spreading growth. 23 petals. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



SOEUR THERESE. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



HYBRID TEA ROSES USED IN COMBINATION WITH A FOUNDATION PLANTING

The Delightful and Dainty Single Roses

MONTHLY BLOOMING HYBRID TEAS

DAINTY BESS
\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75

ISOBEL
\$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75



GROUP OFFER OF SINGLE ROSES

One each of the seven varieties listed. Every one is as charming and lovely as the two illustrated.

SPECIAL OFFER S-52-7 (Regular Value
All Seven for **\$10.75** \$12.25)

HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

Perfection in size of flower, fragrance, disease resistance, and strength of growth predominate in this class, and while most varieties flower only in June and July, many will repeat throughout the summer and fall, a few even repeating heavily enough to rival some of the Hybrid Teas. Varieties which repeat are indicated by an (R).

Their uses are varied. They can be grown as bedding Roses at a height of 3 to 4 feet, or allowed to grow into shrubs up to 6 feet in height. A few of the more vigorous growers can be trained as pillars, giving remarkable displays of bloom in June and July; also by pegging down the long canes they can be used as specimen plants on

lawns, covering a considerable area and flowering at every bud on the stem.

PLANTING DISTANCE: Average 2½ to 3 feet.

PRUNING: If desired as a bedding plant, cut down to 15 to 18 inches. For shrub type, 2 feet or over, as desired. For pillar Rose, allow to grow to desired height, cut out dead wood or enough to keep plant within bounds.

SUMMER PRUNING: Hybrid Perpetuals sometimes outgrow their allotted room, in which case cut the canes back to 1½ feet. We have noted this summer pruning encourages more repeat blooming.

AMERICAN BEAUTY. (Ledechaux, 1875.) Pink, shaded a smoky carmine; deliciously fragrant. 50 petals. This is not a "big red" Rose which people generally associate with the name American Beauty. See Henry Nevard. R.

BARONESS ROTHSCHILD. (Pernet, 1868.) Light pink, daintily tinted with white and pale rose. 40 petals.

CAPTAIN CHRISTY. (Lacharme, 1873.) Flesh-pink, deepening toward center. Dwarf. R.

CAPTAIN HAYWARD. (Bennett, 1893.) Scarlet-crimson; fragrant. Blooms freely in autumn. Considered by many to be the best red Hybrid Perpetual. 30 petals. R.

DUCHESS OF SUTHERLAND. (A. Dickson, 1912.) Long-pointed buds and blooms of warm pink, tinted lemon at base.

FERDINAND PICHARD. (Tanne, 1921.) An attractive variegated bloom with petals streaked pink and scarlet. Strong growing and very free flowering. Will sometimes repeat during the summer. R.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI. (P. Lambert, 1901.) Magnificent snow-white blooms. Repeats freely when established and pruned properly. The world's most popular white Rose. 35 petals. R.

GENERAL JACQUEMINOT. (Roussel, 1853.) Scarlet-crimson buds and clear red flowers; intensely fragrant. R.

GEORG ARENDS. (W. Hinner, 1910.) A most exquisite shade of soft pink; exceedingly fragrant. Flower resembles a Hybrid Tea. 25 petals. R.

GLOIRE DE CHEDANE-GUINOISSEAU. (Chedane-Pajotin, 1907.) Dark velvety crimson. 40 petals. R.

HENRY NEVARD. (F. Cant, 1924.) Crimson-scarlet; fine form; sweetly fragrant. 30 petals. This variety is frequently sold as the red American Beauty and properly so. The recurrent blooms resemble in color the popular conception of the old American Beauty greenhouse Rose about which many opinions exist. R.

LOUISE CRETTE. (C. Chambard, 1915.) Pure white, inside petals creamy white. Fully double blooms of excellent form. Blooms through summer. Healthy, bushy plants with few thorns. R.

MRS. JOHN LAING. (Bennett, 1887.) Clear pink; double; very sweet. Blooms continually. 45 petals. R.

MRS. R. G. SHARMAN-CRAWFORD. (A. Dickson, 1894.) Rosy pink, shading lighter toward base of petals. R.

OSKAR CORDEL. (P. Lambert, 1898.) Bright carmine; deliciously fragrant. A compact plant; remontant. 40 petals. R.

PAUL NEYRON. (A. Levet, 1869.) Dark lilac-rose of immense size; remarkable fragrance. 50 petals. R.

CECIL. (B. R. Cant, 1926.) Yellow. Large, single flowers of buttercup-yellow are produced on bushy plants with healthy foliage. Undoubtedly the finest yellow single Rose. 5 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

DAINTY BESS. (Archer, 1925.) Pink. This already old favorite owes its popularity to its delightfully informal appearance, and the silvery salmon-pink petals, surrounding a maroon-colored center, are notched and fluted. 6 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

INNOCENCE. (Chaplin, 1921.) White. The large, flat flowers are of the purest crystalline white, and the wine-red stamens tipped with gold accentuate the freshness of this vigorous, hardy single. 12 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

IRISH FIREFLAME. (A. Dickson, 1914.) Orange-crimson flowers shaded pink and gold; pleasingly fragrant. A profuse bloomer, fine for table decoration. 5 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

ISOBEL. (McGredy, 1916.) Pink. Flowers open with bronzy tones and develop shades of flaming orange-pink. One of the largest and finest single Roses. Rich, soft green foliage. 5 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

LULU. (Easlea, 1919.) Salmon. Splendid buds of great length and delicacy of form, brilliantly shaded orange-pink and copper, borne on fine stems. Bush is very vigorous, free flowering, and highly resistant to disease. 8 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

VESUVIUS. (McGredy, 1923.) Red. Poppy-like flowers of fadeless, glowing fiery crimson. Vigorous, free-flowering plants of bushy habit. Light green foliage of good leathery texture. 6 petals. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN. (E. Verdier, 1861.) Dark crimson flowers, shaded black-maroon; delicious fragrance. R.

ROGER LAMBELIN. (Vve. Schwartz, 1890.) Irregular, semi-double, crimson flowers margined or streaked with white.

SYMPHONY. (C. Weigand.) Buds blush-pink opening to a lovely pure white tinged pearly pink. Large and handsome.

TRIOMPHE DE L'EXPOSITION. (Margottin, 1855.) Large, cherry-red blooms; moderate fragrance. A big bushy plant which produces an enormous crop of blooms. One of the best of the old June Roses.

ULRICH BRUNNER. (A. Levet, 1882.) Large; bright carmine-red; very fragrant. 30 petals.

HYBRID PERPETUAL COLLECTION

OFFER S-52-8

The 12 marked • for **\$18.75 net**

(Regular Value \$21.00)

Should one or two varieties become sold out as the season advances, we reserve the right to use a similar kind.

OFFER S-52-9

SIX H.P.'s, our selection for **\$8.25 net**

TREE ROSES

for "Eye-Level" Beauty

WE SUGGEST YOU ORDER TREE ROSES BY COLOR

They will come to you labeled with the true name of the variety but this cannot be foretold in advance. So many varieties become sold out as the season advances that this is about the only manner in which orders can be filled without delay through correspondence.

You may indicate the variety you prefer, which will be sent if at all possible; otherwise we reserve the right to select the varieties in the colors desired. Cultural directions for Tree Roses are sent with each order.

Both the varieties we use and the hardy, pliable rugosa trunks or stems on which they are budded are the very best for this purpose; forty years of experimenting and growing them have proved this.



TREE ROSES on 3½-ft. Trunks

The list of carefully chosen varieties follows:

WHITE—Alice Stern, Frau Karl Druschki, Mme. Jules Bouche.

PINK—Daylight, Lady Alice Stanley, Mme. Butterfly, Radiance.

RED—Crimson Glory, Margaret McGredy, McGredy's Scarlet, National Flower Guild.

YELLOW and BICOLOR—California, Condesa de Santiago, Golden Dawn, Mrs. E. P. Thom, Mrs. Pierre S. duPont, Peace, Soeur Therese.

These well-formed trees will bloom the first summer after spring planting, same as the bush form of all Hybrid Tea Everblooming Roses. Cultural directions for Tree Roses sent with each order.

PRICES—TREE ROSES on 3½-ft. Trunks

2 for \$11.00, net
4 for \$21.00, net
6 for \$29.50, net
\$6.00 each for single plant

HALF STANDARDS (Tree Roses on 2-ft. Trunks)

A limited number of Floribunda varieties for those who prefer less height in the garden. The list of varieties follows:

RED—Baby Chateau, New World.

PINK—Cheerio, Fashion, Mrs. R. M. Finch, Pink Satin.

YELLOW—King Boreas.

WHITE—Dagmar Spath.

2 for \$9.00 6 for \$23.00
4 for \$16.00 \$5.00 each



Half standards or Tree Roses of low height planted effectively in or among bush Roses. We have a good supply of beautiful and shapely plants for spring 1952.

TERMS OF DELIVERY AND PAYMENT

CASH WITH ORDER

{A} DORMANT ROSE BUSHES (except Tree Roses) and PERENNIALS, value \$5.00 or more, sent Postpaid or Express Prepaid east of the Mississippi for cash with order.

Add 50 cts. service charge to all orders under \$5.00 to help defray the cost of prepaid delivery, special handling and packing, as we do not handle orders of smaller value where their cost may equal these additional charges.

If we are unable to make full shipment of your prepaid order, and you do not allow substitution, we will make refund of your overpayment after the order is sent.*

If overpayment is a small amount, say less than \$1.00, we will include extra plant material.

{B} Azaleas, Rhododendrons, Lilacs, Magnolias, Tree Roses, Clematis and other plants in large pots; and all Trees and Shrubs in this Catalog are packed free for cash with order, except where noted, and are sent by Railway Express, delivery charges collect.

*After the order is sent, during the busy seasons, it may take a week or two until the refund goes through our financial department.

CHARGE ACCOUNTS

NEW CUSTOMERS wishing to open a charge account will oblige us by sending with their order the names of three business houses which extend them credit. For the convenience of responsible parties, we are pleased to send goods on open account of \$10.00 or more; **we do not prepay delivery charges or packing in this event.** If you desire Express or Parcel Post charges to be prepaid, they will be added to your invoice. Terms are Net Cash 30 days.

On accommodation charge orders under \$5.00 there will be a service fee of 50 cents plus delivery charges or we reserve the right to ship C.O.D.

RESPONSIBILITY. While we exercise the greatest care in filling orders, we cannot give any warranty, express or implied. We will replace such material as proved not true to name, but it is agreed at no time will we be responsible for more than the original purchase price. When the customer believes we are at fault in any other way, we stand ready to make a fair adjustment.

PRICES. This Catalog cancels all prices in prior catalogs or quotations. Due to conditions beyond our control, price changes may become necessary without further notice.

AVAILABILITY. All orders are accepted subject to availability of stock at the time of shipment. We reserve the right to fill your order with a variety or varieties similar to those ordered, and of equal or greater value unless notified in advance not to do so.

LOCAL TRUCK DELIVERIES for customers residing within approximately 25 miles of our Nurseries on such days as we have deliveries in that particular section and if the size of order warrants it. **TRUCK DELIVERIES OUTSIDE** of 25-mile area by special arrangement at cost.

Floribunda Roses

(Large-Flowered Polyanthas)

INDIVIDUAL PRICES AS NOTED, LESS 10% QUANTITY DISCOUNT FROM THE EACH RATE FOR ANY 50 ROSES OR MORE

The word "Floribunda" is used to refer to bush Roses producing clusters of blooms without interruption from early summer until late frosts. They were formerly referred to as "bedding Roses" for mass color effect rather than for specimen blooms.

The Floribunda class, therefore, includes new as well as old varieties of large-flowered or Hybrid Polyanthas, and possibly a few Hybrid Teas. They are all very easy to grow and exceptionally hardy. Besides using them informally in Rose beds, plant Floribundas in permanent groups for color in the foreground of hardy shrub borders.

The day is here when more and more Floribunda Roses are being used for straightline border or hedge planting instead of the more common privet or barberry. These Roses provide good foliage, utility—plus—constant color.

PLANTING DISTANCE: Average 15 to 18 inches.

HEIGHT: Average 24 to 30 inches.

PRUNING: Prune lightly to desired height, removing old cluster heads and thin out dead wood.



BABY CHATEAU.
\$1.50 each;
3 for \$4.00



VOGUE.
\$2.25 each;
3 for \$6.00

Floribunda and Polyantha Roses should be planted in groups of at least three each. Since it is generally understood they are for mass color effect rather than individual specimen blooms, one should realize this effect is never gained when planting only one of a kind.

BABY CHATEAU. (Kordes, 1936.) Red. Large, brilliant scarlet-crimson flowers in great clusters produced constantly. The plants are neat and compact in growth; very hardy and long-lived with comparatively little care. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

BETTY PRIOR. (Prior, 1935.) Pat. 340. Pink. Outside of petals dark carmine, inside several shades lighter. Borne in large clusters on strong stems. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CHEERIO. (Kordes, 1940.) A real deep pink Floribunda that blooms abundantly. Individual blooms frequently as large as Hybrid Teas. Extra good. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

DAGMAR SPATH. (Wirtz & Eicke, 1936.) Large trusses of pure white flowers produced freely all summer. A sport of Lafayette and a good bedding Rose. It is the best white Floribunda we know of. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

DONALD PRIOR. (Prior, 1934.) Pat. 377. Red. Large clusters of red flowers on branching plants about 3 feet high. Damask fragrance. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

ELSE POULSEN. (D. T. Poulsen, 1924.) Pink. Single, bright rose-pink flowers of large size from erect, very thrifty plants. One of the oldest and best pink Floribundas. 3 ft. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

FLORADORA. (Tantau, 1943.) The ovoid buds are pinkish orange opening to a perfect camellia-formed bloom. These blooms are evenly colored a brilliant cinnabar-red touched with orange-scarlet and geranium. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GOLDEN JUBILEE. (Jacobus, 1947.) New Yellow Floribunda. The many small urn-shaped buds are a pleasing golden yellow color and open to 3-inch, full-petaled Roses finishing alabaster white. The plants are exceptionally hardy and healthy with beautiful clean foliage. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GOLDOCKS. (E. S. Boerner, 1945.) Pat. 672. Yellow. The buds in each of the many clusters are ovoid in shape, resembling miniature Hybrid Teas in form and a rich golden yellow in color, opening to about 3½ inches across. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



FASHION. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

FASHION. (E. S. Boerner, 1947.) Pat. 789. Gold Medal winner, Bagatelle, Paris, 1949. Pink. The Oriental red buds open gradually to 3½-inch blooms giving us an entirely new Rose color best described as luminous coral-pink suffused with golden salmon. The plants are very generous with good blooms from early summer until late fall. It appears the printer has not yet been able to reproduce the unusual colors of Fashion. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

GRUSS AN AACHEN. (Geduldig, 1909.) Blush. Orange-red and yellow buds, and large, light flesh-pink and salmon-yellow flowers, fading and finishing creamy white. A fine distinct bedding type, much like a Hybrid Tea. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

IMPROVED LAFAYETTE. (Howard & Smith, 1935.) Red. Sturdy, upright plants grow 2½ to 3 feet. Glowing red blooms, deeply suffused a vivid crimson. Fine bedding Rose; free flowering all summer and fall. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

KING BOREAS. (The Brownells, 1940.) Pure yellow. Here we have a real yellow Floribunda Rose, tried and tested for years. With its vigorous, healthy plant habits, there is no question about its ability to produce dozens of blooms at a time, continuously from June to November. The individual buds and flowers are almost perfect in form, with plenty of substance and petalage to make them last long either on the plant, as cut-flowers, or as boutonnieres. Even the foliage is beautiful and almost holly-like. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MRS. R. M. FINCH. (Finch, 1923.) Pink. Opening color is clear pink changing to blush, then white, so that a cluster shows all stages. Strong bushy plants 2½ to 3 feet. Blooms continuously. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SPECIAL GROUP OFFERS OF FLORIBUNDA ROSES

GROUP OFFER S-52-10

1 each of 9 varieties for - - \$11.85 Net
(Regular value \$13.75)

GROUP OFFER S-52-11

2 each of 9 varieties for - - \$22.70 Net

GROUP OFFER S-52-12

3 each of 9 varieties for - - \$34.00 Net

BABY CHATEAU. Scarlet-crimson-red.

CHEERIO. Deep pink.

DAGMAR SPATH. White.

GOLDEN JUBILEE. Golden yellow to alabaster white.

IMPROVED LAFAYETTE. Glowing red.

KING BOREAS. Yellow.

MRS. R. M. FINCH. Pink to blush and white.

NEW WORLD. Dark red.

PINK SATIN. Satiny pink.

NEW WORLD. Dark red. Introduced by Bobbink & Atkins, 1945. Hybridized by M. R. Jacobus, using the fine old Chateau de Clos Vougeot and the newer Crimson Glory as parents; the deep velvety red and maroon colorings in both combined to give us this valuable new variety. Strong, pleasing fragrance. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

PINK SATIN. Introduced by Bobbink & Atkins, 1945. Has the color and texture of a lovely pink satin dress. Plants are strong and easy-growing. No sooner is the first crop of blooms produced than the buds for successive ones follow, even during hot summer weather. Has proved extremely hardy at the New York Botanical Gardens. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PINOCCHIO. (J. H. Nicolas, 1940.) *Pat. 484.* Pink suffused with golden salmon. Long sprays splendid for corsages and bouquets. A very prolific bloomer from late spring until late fall. Fruity fragrance. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

RED PINOCCHIO. (E. S. Boerner, 1947.) *Pat. 812.* A velvety red member of the Pinocchio group. Flowers of Hybrid Tea form, with 25 to 30 petals, carried in clusters on good stems. A profuse bloomer. Grows about 2½ feet tall. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SALMON SPRAY. (P. Grant, 1923.) Rich salmon-pink, reverse of petals carmine. Tall-growing; long-stemmed sprays. Makes a wonderful 3 to 4-foot colorful hedge. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SUMMER SNOW. (C. H. Perkins, 1939.) *Pat. 416.* Pure white flowers borne in large clusters. Very neat and low-growing and an extremely prolific bloomer. Where masses of white are needed in the foreground, this is the Rose to use. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

VOGUE. (E. S. Boerner 1951.) *Pat. 926.* Coral. A new Floribunda with perfect blooms of Hybrid Tea style, 3 inches in diameter. The striking cherry-coral color is deeper than that of the popular Fashion. Spicily fragrant. Dark, green healthy foliage on a bushy, upright plant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

WORLD'S FAIR. (Kordes, 1938.) *Pat. 362.* Red. Large clusters of velvety black-scarlet flowers nearly 4 inches across, with 18 to 20 petals; fragrant. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



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PINOCCHIO. *Pat. 484.* Salmon-pink.
RED PINOCCHIO. *Pat. 812.* Velvety red.
SUMMER SNOW. *Pat. 416.* Pure white.
VOGUE. *Pat. 926.* Cherry-coral.
WORLD'S FAIR. *Pat. 362.* Velvety black-scarlet-red.



MRS. R. M. FINCH. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00



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Quantity discount of 10% from the each rate on any 50 Roses or more

The individual flowers in this class are smaller, though very often the clusters are as large as Floribundas; heights in general are lower so these make good edging plants or low mass plantings. All Polyanthas are as nearly everblooming as Roses can be. They live and bloom year after year with comparatively little attention.

CAMEO. (de Ruiter, 1932.) Salmon. A distinct shade of shell-pink and salmon, with a glow of gold. A compromise between the pink and the orange-salmon Roses. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CAROL ANN. (A. Kluis, 1940.) *Pat. 707.* Salmon-orange. Globe-shaped flowers in large clusters. The plants seldom attain a height of over 1 foot. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CECILE BRUNNER. (Vve. Ducher, 1881.) Blush. The "Sweetheart Rose." Small, exquisitely formed bud and flower of light pink with yellow base. It is the perfect Rose for nosegays and corsages. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CRIMSON ROSETTE. (Fred Howard, 1947.) *Pat. 901.* Red. The name describes both form and color; 50 or more very small petals form a 2-inch rosette. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

DICK KOSTER. (D. A. Koster, 1935.) Bright salmon-rose to orange. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

ELLEN POULSEN. (D. T. Poulsen, 1912.) Pink. Large, compact clusters borne profusely on a dwarf, bushy plant 15 to 18 inches high. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PLANTING DISTANCE: Average 15 inches.

HEIGHT: Average 15 to 18 inches.

PRUNING: Prune lightly to desired height, removing old cluster heads and thin out dead wood.

MARGO KOSTER. (Koster, 1935.) Light orange, slightly flushed pink. The individual flowers are globe-shaped. Seldom grows over a foot. Ideal for edging. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

ORANGE TRIUMPH. (Kordes, 1937.) Large, double, scarlet-orange flowers in huge clusters. Good, glossy foliage. Considered "tops" in this class. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

PINK ROSETTE. (Krebs, 1948.) *Pat. 902.* Very double, little flowers with petals arranged in the form of a dainty rosette. Soft pink color. A vigorous, dwarf plant that may readily be forced. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SUNSHINE. (Robichon, 1927.) Orange. The small but full-petaled blooms open golden orange, later overlaid with a soft pink sheen. Plants are dwarf, growing to about a foot. Its pleasing and penetrating fragrance is especially noteworthy. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

TRIOMPHE ORLEANAIS. (Peauger, 1912.) Bright cherry-red, long-lasting, almost fadeless, large flowers borne in clusters. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

10 Polyanthas for a Colorful Border GROUP OFFER S-52-17

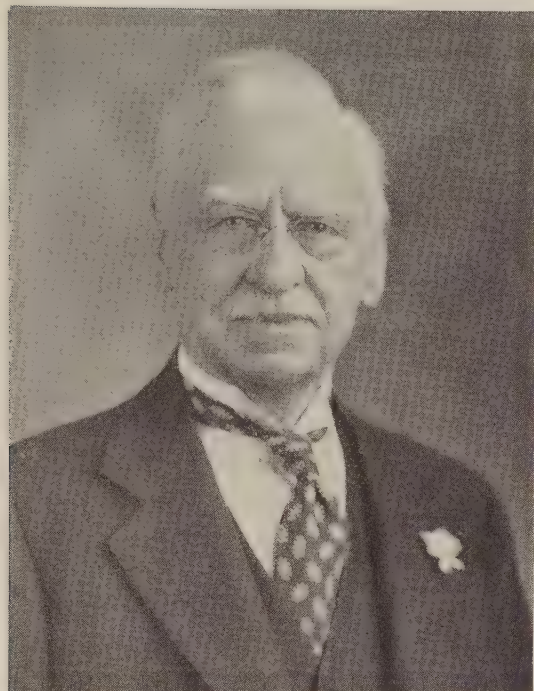
CECILE BRUNNER. The Sweetheart Rose. Light pink.
CRIMSON ROSETTE. *Pat. 901.* Red.
ORANGE TRIUMPH. Scarlet-orange.
PINK ROSETTE. *Pat. 902.* Soft pink.
SUNSHINE. Golden orange, overlaid with soft pink sheen.

2 each of 5 varieties \$13.50 net
All 10 plants for
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The Late Lambertus C. Bobbink
1866-1950

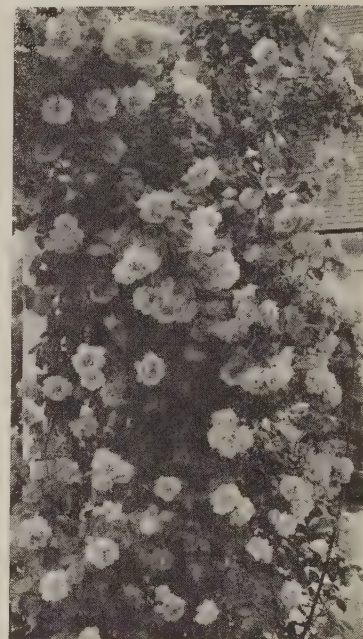
When a great rosarian dies, something precious beyond measure passes out of the world and human contacts, for the rose above all other flowers, requires understanding and devoted attention if it is to reveal its full beauty and glory. The beauty and glory are also shared by those who grow it. True rosarians shine with a particular glow.

Since that day in December 1950, when Lambertus C. Bobbink left us for his deserved rest, American rose lovers have felt bereft at the loss.

So wide, certain and sure was his knowledge of the whole rose family, so infectious his love for it, so long his allegiance to it, so courageous his revival and continuance of old roses, without thought of profit, that there has not yet arisen one to fill the full stature of his place. However all rosarians can gather courage from the assurance that his daughter and son-in-law Dorothea and George White will carry on the work both in new varieties and old roses, as well as superb azaleas to which Mr. Bobbink was also devoted, and other excellent plant material.

Richardson Wright

Former Editor-in-Chief of *House and Garden*



Bobbink White Climber
(See Front Cover)

LARGE-FLOWERED HARDY CLIMBING ROSES

PRICES AS NOTED. SEE ROSE DISCOUNTS ON PAGE 10

Our collection of Hardy Climbers is probably the most extensive and inclusive in this country, covering all types and colors. They are by far the most popular today. Disease-resistant, this modern type of Climber has the added advantage that many varieties produce flowers on long stems suitable for cutting. No spraying or dusting required.

PRUNING OF LARGE-FLOWERED CLIMBERS: These varieties flower best on the older canes, so, contrary to the Rambler type, it is not advisable to cut out the canes which have flowered. Cut back

the side shoots which have flowered, remove old worn-out canes, and train up only enough young canes to cover the required area.

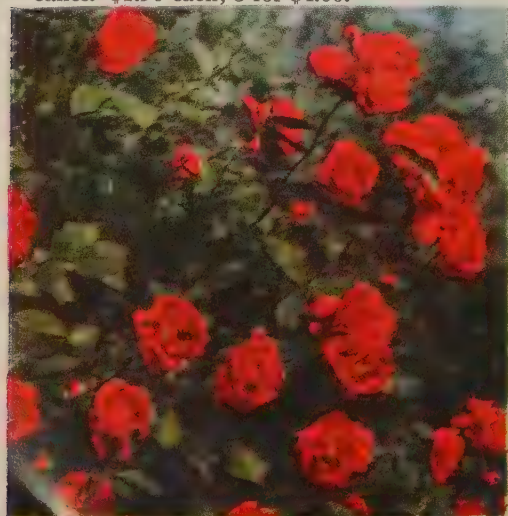
PLANTING DISTANCE: Trellis or wall—6 feet. Pillars—as close as 3 feet, depending on the design.

The letters at the end of descriptions represent the blooming period in the vicinity of New York City; E., from May 25 to June 3; MS., from June 4 to 12; and L., after June 12.

Abbreviations: CHT., Cl. Hybrid Tea; CHP., Cl. Hybrid Perpetual; HFT., Hybrid Foetida; LC., Large-flowered Climber. These refer to the classes.

AMERICAN PILLAR. LC. (Van Fleet, 1902.) A rampant grower with glossy foliage; huge trusses of 2-inch, single flowers of scarlet-rose with large white centers. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

BLAZE. LC. (Kallay, 1932.) Vivid scarlet flowers identical in color and form with Paul's Scarlet. Remontant under certain conditions. The strain we now grow reblooms later in summer and fall provided you simply pluck or pinch out the June blooms but allow the rest of the stems or laterals to remain on the canes. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.



© CLIMBING ROSE, BLAZE.
\$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00

BOBBINK WHITE CLIMBER. LC. (M. R. Jacobus, 1951.) *Pat. pending.* This new ever-blooming "white" Climber has been tested for strength, health, hardiness and reblooming habits for several years and now we believe it has been proved satisfactory in all respects. We have found the autumn bloom especially fine; the opening buds and petals show creamy to faint lemon-yellow though when the blooms are fully open they finish white.

The plants in our nursery rows grow with great vigor, although it is necessary to cut or prune the long "runners" back pretty hard so they will transplant easily to your garden and become re-established within a year or two. Like most hardy Climbers, they do not produce their typical blooms the first year and therefore one should be patient. In the years to come, we believe you will find this new Climber a valuable addition to those Bobbink & Atkins have already introduced within very recent years. It may be used or trained any way you see fit and even makes an excellent trailing or "covering" Rose because of its beautiful, healthy, lustrous green foliage. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00. Supply limited.

COUNTESS OF STRADBROKE. CHT. (Clark, 1928.) Very large, double, well shaped, intensely fragrant, dark glowing crimson. Free, recurrent bloom. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

DOUBLOONS. LC. (Horvath, 1944.) *Pat. 152.* Yellow. A perfectly hardy yellow Climber developed from our native prairie Rose (*Rosa setigera*). Large, buff-yellow flowers, generously produced. Unquestionably hardy and rugged. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.



DREAM GIRL. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00

LARGE-FLOWERED HARDY CLIMBING ROSES, continued

DR. HUEY. LC. (Thomas, 1914.) Red. A spectacular Climber yielding an abundance of large, ruffled, maroon-red flowers both singly on long stems and in tremendous clusters. There is no color in the Rose kingdom to match this deep, solid, velvety maroon. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

DR. W. VAN FLEET. LC. (Van Fleet, 1910.) Pink. Abundant long-stemmed, beautifully formed flowers of a soft pale shade of flesh-pink, the equal of a fine Hybrid Tea. Same growth habit and color as New Dawn, which is "ever-blooming" and taking the place of Dr. Van Fleet. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

DREAM GIRL. (M. R. Jacobus.) Pat. 643. Pink. The comparatively new Everblooming Hardy Climbing and Pillar Rose. The outside petals of the opening buds are very light apple-blossom-pink. It frequently takes several days for the full petaled buds to open and show the salmon-pink inside petals, which are overlaid with a glorious sheen of fresh apricot. The color tones actually deepen until the blooms fully open in sunlight. One of the most appealing qualities of Dream Girl is the pleasing spicy unforgettable fragrance; a few cut blooms will scent the whole room. Plants established for a year or more will produce a fine crop of flowers in early June followed by a succession of blooms throughout the summer, ending with a glorious display in early fall. Please do not expect full-sized blooms of typical color the first year or season after planting (this holds true with practically all Climbing Roses.)

The plant resents being sprayed or dusted, unless you may be concerned about temporary aphid attacks which are not usually serious. Use it on trellises, arbors, posts and pillars, for covering fences, stone walls, tree stumps and everywhere Climbing Roses of moderate growth are so readily adaptable. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

ELEGANCE. LC. (Brownell, 1938.) Yellow. Flowers are spectrum-yellow in center, shading to a pale yellow on the outer petals, deepening in color as they open, carried on stiff stems 1 to 3 feet long. Huge exhibition flowers, Hybrid Tea in form. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

GOLDEN CLIMBER (MRS. ARTHUR CURTISS JAMES). LC. (The Brownells, 1933.) Yellow. A strong climbing plant which does not bloom until it is thoroughly established for two or more years, when it produces many perfectly formed, golden yellow flowers of Hybrid Tea quality and fragrance, on 1½ to 2-foot stems. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

GOLDEN GLOW. LC. (The Brownells, 1937.) Pat. 263. The pure spectrum-yellow Hybrid-Tea-like flowers are 3½ to 5 inches in diameter, emitting a tea fragrance. Perfectly hardy. We consider it about the best all-round yellow Climber. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

INSPIRATION. Cl. Introduced by Bobbink & Atkins in 1946 for M. R. Jacobus, hybridizer. Inspiration is an appropriate companion Rose for our new Dream Girl, with similar growth habit. Successive crops follow from June on through October and show the same sparkling pink tones as found in that fine old Hybrid Tea, Pink Radiance and the once-blooming Mary Wallace climber. It is very hardy, reliable and free-blooming in all sections, same as Dream Girl climber. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MARY WALLACE. LC. (Van Fleet, 1924.) Pink. Very strong growth. Large, bright pink flowers with a luminous sheen. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

MERCEDES GALLART. LC. (Munne, 1932.) Red. Everblooming. The first crop in June is cerise-red changing to magenta, but in mid-summer and autumn the blooms are clear bright crimson, intensely fragrant. Hardy. E. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MERMAID. LC. (W. Paul, 1918.) Unspeakably beautiful single flowers of great size, pure ivory-white, with cream and lemon center and an immense cluster of stamens. Blooms steadily throughout the season, producing clusters of buds on the tips of the new growth. Foliage glistening, almost evergreen. Needs winter protection in the North. Do not prune this Rose—let it grow. Under favorable conditions it climbs, but is best as a rambling shrub. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MME. GREGOIRE STAECHELIN. LC. (P. Dot, 1927.) Pink. Also called "Spanish Beauty." Huge, fragrant, delicate pink flowers, stained crimson. Blooms very early. E. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MRS. WHITMAN CROSS. LC. (Cross and Hansen; introduced by Bobbink & Atkins.) The unusual vivid orange colors, with an overlaid pinkish sheen, almost striped at times, are beautiful to behold. Reblooms in late summer and fall. The customers' natural enthusiasm for this Rose of unusual coloring has increased each year since we introduced it in 1943. It really is a beauty! MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

NEW DAWN. LC. (Somerset Rose Nursery, 1930.) Apple-blossom-pink. Everblooming. The first hardy everblooming Climber. It is a sport of the well-known Dr. W. Van Fleet. New Dawn is destined to take its place because of strong everblooming characteristics and equally vigorous and healthy growth habit. L. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

ORANGE EVERGLOW. LC. (The Brownells, 1942.) Pat. 505. Copper-yellow blooms. The large flowers are about 3 inches across when plant is established. Foliage is glossy and almost evergreen. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

PAUL'S LEMON PILLAR. CHT. (Paul & Son, 1915.) Pale lemon buds and faint sulphur-yellow flowers. Double, well formed, and fragrant. Strong growth. MS. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER. LC. (W. Paul, 1916.) Intensely red flowers, borne in loose clusters. Best used as a pillar because of its restricted height. Unquestionably hardy and reliable. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

SILVER MOON. LC. (Van Fleet, 1910.) White. Handsome foliage and big, saucer-shaped, moon-white flowers with brilliant yellow centers. MS. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

TEMPTATION. LC. (M. R. Jacobus.) Everblooming. The NEW rose-red Climber introduced by Bobbink & Atkins in 1950. Like its predecessors, Dream Girl and Inspiration, it is very hardy and resents spraying or dusting. It grows vigorously but not too rampant. The blooms, borne both on single stems and in clusters, are very full petaled and long lasting both in and out-of-doors. When it is established for a year or two, the strong reblooming characteristics and distinctive new carmine-rose-pink color tones will please the lover of Climbing Roses. It is in the fall of the year, when this remarkable new Rose proves its worth and produces those luscious long-stemmed, vivid red blooms that everyone loves. As with Dream Girl and others in this class, we ask you not to expect full-sized blooms of typical color the first June after planting. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

WHITE DAWN. LC. (Longley.) New Everblooming White. Produces hundreds of pure white, double blooms resembling gardenias, and after the plant is well established it will be everblooming. Do not, however, expect plentiful, repeated bloom the first year after planting. Developed from a cross of New Dawn and Lily Pons. \$2 each; 3 for \$5.40.

ZEPHIRINE DROUHIN. Bourbon. (Bizot, 1868.) Vivid pink, well-filled flowers of fine shape, exquisitely perfumed. Blooms freely in spring and sparingly in fall. E. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

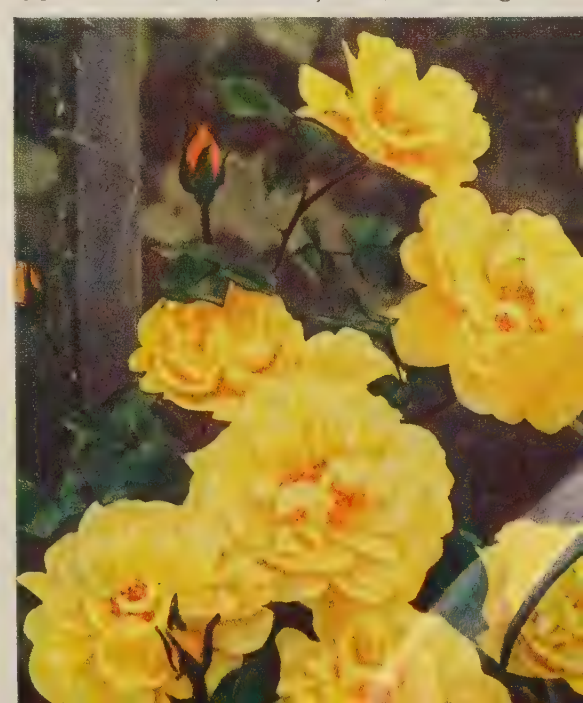


INSPIRATION. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00. Everblooming



Blooms from the new red everblooming climber, TEMPTATION, that were cut and photographed in September showing its strong reblooming characteristics. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

GOLDEN GLOW. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40 ©



HARDY RAMBLER ROSES (Blooms in large clusters)

While the larger-flowered Climbing Roses seem to be far more popular at present than the true Ramblers, we do not like to see them overlooked because, in our opinion, there is nothing finer than masses of charming clustered Ramblers. It was true that some of the Ramblers were susceptible to mildew, but that is no longer serious since we have eliminated them.

PRUNING OF RAMBLERS: Cut out, in August or September, the canes which have flowered, and train up young canes produced from base.

BLOOMFIELD COURAGE. (Capt. Thomas, 1925.) A strong-growing many-caned Rambler to 20 feet or more. The plant is covered in late May and early June with myriads of small single flowers of blackish crimson surrounding white eyes. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CHEVY CHASE. (N. J. Hansen, 1939.) *Pat.* 443. Red. To those who desire color in masses there is nothing to compete with a Rambler Rose, and this history-making Rose is the finest of the great Rambler family. Bloom lasts for several weeks during May and June in this section, the rich crimson color changing slowly with age but never becoming objectionable. It is positively mildew-proof so the out-of-bloom appearance of so many Ramblers doesn't bother Chevy Chase. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

DOROTHY PERKINS. (1901.) Pink. Double pink flowers are borne in huge trusses. An excellent bank-cover. It is one of the loveliest of all Climbers when in full bloom, and worthy in spite of its mildew. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

GHISLAINE DE FELIGONDE. (Turbat, 1916.) One of the nicest of the restrained-growth Ramblers. It will make 8 to 10-foot, almost thornless canes which bear heavy crops of shapely rich yellow buds changing slowly to creamy white when fully open. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MINNEHAHA. (Walsh, 1905.) Pink. Bright pink, rosette-like flowers borne in clusters on stems of average length. Foliage small, glossy, dark green and free from mildew. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

SANDERS WHITE. (Sanders, 1912.) Small, glistening white blooms of double rosette form, sweetly perfumed, borne in clusters on a strong, free-blooming plant which is both healthy and hardy. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

SEVEN SISTERS. The late Mr. Bunyard, famous British rosarian, sent us plants of the true variety just before he died. We succeeded in propagating a limited supply of this famous old Rose that all collectors cherish. Lilac-rose, soft pink, and nearly white flowers in the same clusters. \$3.00 each.

ROSE PRICES:

To obtain the "three rate" you must order three or more of one variety to one address

PEMBERTON PILLAR OR SHRUB ROSES

These fine old introductions of The Rev. J. H. Pemberton, classed as Hybrid Musk Roses, have long been a specialty with us. When Rose-lovers once get to know them, they admire and love them for their repeat-blooming qualities and their strong shrubby habit of growth. They have a long blooming period during June and July, and then again throughout the summer and fall seasons. Thrive almost anywhere and require very little care. Their heights range from 4 to 8 feet and they are, therefore valuable, for pillars, fences, or as strong shrubs without support, provided they are kept pruned lightly and within bounds. A few varieties originated by Capt. Thomas and Peter Lambert are included with the Pembertons because their growth and bloom habits are similar.

FELICIA. (J. H. Pemberton, 1928.) Pink buds, opening to semi-double flowers of blush-pink, tinged with white, borne in clusters. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

PAX. (J. H. Pemberton, 1918.) White. Large, creamy buds of lovely form, very fragrant. Blooms all summer. Pillar. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

PRUNING: Retain old wood and new wood. Cut out only dead and surplus wood. **PLANTING DISTANCE:** 3 to 4 feet apart.

BISHOP DARLINGTON. (Capt. Thomas, 1926.) Pink. Large, semi-double flowers of lovely flesh-pink suffused with yellow at base of petals. A self-supporting, strong, shrub-like plant growing 3 to 4 feet high and as wide; continuous bloomer. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CLYTEMNESTRA. (J. H. Pemberton, 1915.) Coppery buds; small, ruffled, open blooms change to a light buff-pink. Flexible pillar or trailer. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CORNELIA. (J. H. Pemberton, 1925.) Pink. Very double flowers, about 3 inches across, of strawberry-pink, flushed yellow, borne in abundant, flat sprays. Vigorous shrub habit or pillar. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

EVA. (Kordes, 1933.) Red. Bud large, carmine-red; flower large, semi-double, open, glowing carmine-red with white center. Profuse periodic bloomer all season. Pillar. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MRS. GEORGE C. THOMAS. (Capt. Thomas, 1921.) Orange buds, opening to light salmon-pink, semi-double flowers 2 to 2½ inches across, lighter in the center, suffused with a yellow glow. Pillar. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

PROSPERITY. (J. H. Pemberton, 1919.) White, rosette-like flowers, tinted with pale pink. Borne in profuse, erect clusters. Vigorous grower and continuous bloomer. Pillar to 6 to 8 feet. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

TRAILING ROSES

The Trailers are Climbing Roses with slender pliable canes enabling them to lie close to the ground. Their shiny foliage and beautiful flowers make these Roses ideal covers for banks, hillsides and waste places.

Dream Girl (p.16) also makes a good trailer if allowed to go untrained. Plant all these varieties about 3 feet apart each way for quick ground-cover effect.

CARPET OF GOLD. LC. (The Brownells, 1939.) Yellow. A creeping or trailing plant running close to the ground and covering itself with brilliant yellow, double, fragrant flowers 2 to 3 inches across. Ideal for banks. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CORAL CREEPER. LC. (The Brownells, 1937.) Apricot. Deep red buds open a lovely shade of apricot-orange, fading to light pink. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

MAX GRAF. HRug. (Bowditch, 1919.) Pink. Handsome foliage and sprays of large, single, shining pink flowers. Extra hardy; fine for covering exposed banks. Foliage 75% Rugosa. \$1.50 each; 10 for \$12.50; 25 for \$27.50.

RUGOSA REPENS ALBA (*R. Pauli*). Species. White. Fine trailer with glossy foliage and big, snowy flowers in clusters. Vigorous and long-lived. Foliage 75% Rugosa. \$1.50 each; 10 for \$12.50.

WICHURAIANA (The Memorial Rose). Species. White. A matted creeper with glossy, almost evergreen, small, shiny foliage. Sprays of small, white, fragrant flowers. \$1.00 each; 10 for \$9.00; 25 for \$20.00 net; 50 for \$35.00 net.

AUGUST 1st DEADLINE

Rose communications regarding plant performance must reach us by August 1st following the fall or spring planting.



CARPET OF GOLD

ROSA WICHURAIANA. \$1.00 each; 10 for \$9.00

Showing one of the many ways Rosa Wichuraiana may be used as a cover for walls or banks

CLIMBING HYBRID TEAS

All these Climbing Roses are \$1.75 each

In Southern States they are glorious, bearing full crops of Hybrid Tea flowers all season. In the Middle Atlantic States and farther north, they do not produce recurrent blooms after May or June and, furthermore, are not reliably hardy. But now since there are quite a few reliably hardy climbers offered under the large-flowered climber section, we suggest that gardeners in the north without too much experience, confine their selection to these and avoid possible disappointment.

PRUNING: Retain old and new wood, cutting out only dead or exhausted wood.

CLIMBING DAINTY BESS. (van Barneveld, 1935.) Pink. A climbing sport of the beautiful Hybrid Tea, Dainty Bess. Bears clusters of single flowers exactly like its parent. Broad, silvery pink petals, notched and fluted, accented with a cluster of wine-red stamens. Needs protection north of Washington. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CLIMBING ETOILE DE HOLLANDE. (M. Leenders, 1931.) Red. Climbing form of the celebrated Etoile de Hollande. Brilliant red blooms, fully double, on a sturdy and reliable plant. Blooms recurrently all season. Fragrance adds to its desirability. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CLIMBING PRESIDENT HOOVER. (B. R. Cant, 1937.) Bicolor. Large flowers, flaming scarlet and yellow in the bud, opening to soft creamy yellow with scarlet markings. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CLIMBING RADIANCE. (W. D. Griffing, 1926.) Pink. Globular, cupped flowers of a two-toned pink—light silvery tone on the inside and deeper on the outside. Plant is a vigorous climber that blooms freely. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CLIMBING RED RADIANCE. (Pacific Rose Co., 1927.) Red. A strong Climber with globular flowers like the original. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

CLIMBING TALISMAN. (Western Rose Co., 1930.) Bicolor. Variable flowers like the original bush Hybrid Tea, in shades of gold, flame and copper, on a good climbing plant. \$1.75 each; 3 for \$4.75.

ROSE PRICES

To obtain the "three rate," you must order three or more of one variety to one shipping address.

Patience is a Virtue

There is some misunderstanding about the bloom habits of newly planted Climbers, Shrub Roses, Rugosas and most of the Old-fashioned Roses in general. Nurserymen do not expect them to bloom the first season they are planted. It requires at least a full growing year before these fine old Roses become established and produce branches we call flowering wood. It frequently happens, however, that some of them do bloom the first season after planting although these flowers are usually small and certainly cannot be the typical form and color. The misunderstanding, therefore, arises when one is too hasty in forming opinions about the true habits and colors of varieties as we describe them. We ask your patience and kind indulgence in this whole matter. We have explained this personally to hundreds of customers in the past who found our predictions were correct and their patience rewarded in later years.

Rugosa Roses

AND THEIR HYBRIDS

Rugosa Roses are particularly valuable for their hardiness, healthiness, and ability to thrive under most adverse conditions of soil and climate, withstanding almost anything. They do not require spraying or dusting but actually resent it. Plant in just an average, deeply spaded garden soil; elaborate soil preparation is not advisable or necessary.

They are distinguished by erect, spiny stems and by their tough, curiously wrinkled or rugose foliage. Particularly valuable for hedges or shrubberies in seashore gardens and regions where the winters are very severe. Some are remountant, as noted, meaning that intermittent blooms are produced after the June crop.

Some of the Hybrids do not have the true Rugosa foliage, but this does not mean that they are not as hardy. Nothing could be harder than the Grootendorst types, yet their foliage does not appear to have much Rugosa in it. For your guidance we have given what in our opinion is the comparative percentage of Rugosa as compared with "the type," but this refers only to the foliage.

PLANTING DISTANCES: 3 to 4 feet apart.

PRUNING: *Shrub types*—cut out old canes and shorten new canes to 4 feet. *Pillars*—cut out only oldest canes.

HEIGHT: 4 to 5 feet, except where noted.

AGNES. (Saunders, 1900.) Coppery yellow buds becoming pale amber-gold; sweetly fragrant. Freely produced. 6 ft. 25% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

BLANC DOUBLE DE COUBERT. (Cochet-Cochet, 1892.) Snowy white, double flowers. 4 to 5 ft. 100% Rugosa. The best double white Rugosa and practically the same habits as *R. alba plena*. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

DELICATA. (Cooling, 1898.) Purple-mauve. Blooms light mallow-purple, shading into deeper tones; double, large, and showy. 5 ft. Remountant. 100% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

F. J. GROOTENDORST. (de Goey, 1918.) Red. Small, bright red, fringed flowers. Large clusters freely produced throughout the growing season. 4 ft. 50% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

HANSA. (Schaum, 1905.) Red. Double, beautiful violet-red flowers of large size, freely produced on a strong, typically Rugosa plant. Hardy and dependable. 100% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

PINK GROOTENDORST. (Grootendorst, 1923.) Pink. Clusters of small, fringed, light shell-pink, carnation-like blooms the entire flowering season. 4 ft. 50% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

RUGOSA. Rosy red. Large, single flowers in shades of rosy crimson. Repeats during the season. Attractive large red berries. 100% Rugosa. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

RUGOSA ALBA. A white form of Rugosa. Remountant. 5 ft. 100% Rugosa. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

RUGOSA ALBA-PLENA. White. A well-shaped double form of Rugosa Alba. Highly recommended. 4 ft. 100% Rugosa. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

RUSKIN. (Van Fleet, 1928.) Red. Buds and flowers resemble a deep crimson-red Hybrid Perpetual with rugosa fragrance. Remountant. 4 to 5 ft. 75% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

SARAH VAN FLEET. (Van Fleet, 1926.) Buds and flowers vivid rose-pink; fragrant. Blooms all summer and fall, therefore remountant. 7 to 8 ft. 75% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$4.50.

SCHNEEZWERG. (P. Lambert, 1912.) White. Half-double, snow-white flowers, with golden stamens. Blooms spring to frost. 3 to 4 ft. 80% Rugosa. \$2.00 each, 3 for \$5.40. **Sold Out Until Fall.**

SIR THOMAS LIPTON. (Van Fleet, 1900.) Snowy white flowers of good size and unusual quality. Blooms freely all season. 6 to 8 ft. 75% Rugosa. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.



A HEDGE OF RUGOSA ROSES



ROSA RUGOSA ALBA

• RUGOSA ROSES and THEIR HYBRIDS •

SHRUB ROSES OTHER THAN RUGOSAS

These very interesting Rose varieties—some new, some old—have long been specialties with Bobbink & Atkins. Charming landscape effects are achieved with these Roses when they are planted in shrubby borders or in small groups where Roses are desired instead of the more common flowering shrubs. Like the true Rugosas, they do not require special soil preparation, spraying, or coddling of any kind. They are practically as hardy and disease-resistant as the Rugosas but offer a wider color range and more variation in height.

Many are everblooming or remontant, as noted, producing plenty of good blooms intermittently after the June crop.

Space them about 3 to 4 feet apart; prune or cut out the old and worn-out canes after the third or fourth year but very little pruning is required the first two years. If occasional canes or stout branches get too tall, prune them to the desired height and width any time it suits you.



ROSA HUGONIS
\$2.00 each;
3 for \$5.40

AUTUMN BOUQUET. (M. R. Jacobus.) New. An everblooming pink shrub Rose introduced by Bobbink & Atkins. It is seldom that a good husky shrub Rose, attaining a height of about 4 feet, produces successive crops of glorious blooms from June right on through October. The color of both bud and open bloom is a pronounced carmine-pink. They are borne singly on long stems as well as in clusters at certain times. Perhaps the color is not so unusual but a shrub Rose of this type has many uses in a border of other flowering shrubs where you want a good Rose against a background of deciduous foliage. One of the chief attributes of Autumn Bouquet is its very pleasing and pronounced fragrance at all times. All the experts who saw the rows of husky 3 to 4-foot plants in our nursery the past summers decided it was a novelty variety which holds great promise for the future. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

BELINDA. (Bentall, 1936.) Large trusses of carmine-pink blooms. The individual truss on plants established for several years is formed exactly like the perennial phlox and is the only Rose we know showing this novel characteristic. Upright, with beautiful foliage. 3 to 4 feet. From a distance, these fine trusses give the same general effect and color of the well-known Crape Myrtle grown in the South. Remontant. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

CONRAD FERDINAND MEYER. (Muller, 1899.) Very large flowers of light silvery pink. A pillar Rose. 8 to 9 ft. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

DR. ECKENER. (Berger, 1930.) Bicolor. Large, fragrant, semi-double flowers of coppery rose and golden yellow; very fragrant. Really a Hybrid Tea flower on a shrubby plant. Very hardy and extra good in every other respect. Remontant. 5 to 6 ft. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

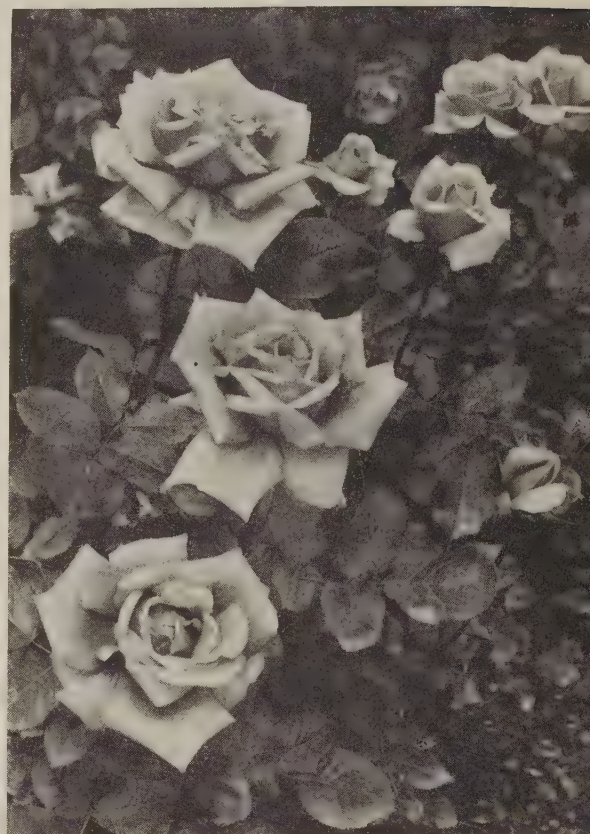
FRAGRANT BEAUTY. (M. R. Jacobus.) New. An everblooming carmine-red shrub Rose introduced by Bobbink & Atkins, 1950. This very hardy Rose quickly attains a height of about 4 to 5 feet and produces dozens of glorious blooms for cutting and landscape effect from June right on through October. Fragrant Beauty is a close relative of our new pink Autumn Bouquet which has already won the highest praises everywhere. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40. **Sold out until fall 1952.**

HON. LADY LINDSAY. (Niels J. Hansen, 1938.) An almost everblooming shrub Rose growing about 3 feet high and wide. The stylish, tapering buds are buff-yellow with golden pink predominating as they age and open. Excellent for dooryard planting or in front of taller shrubs in a border. Our best low shrubby Rose. 30 to 40 petals. Remontant. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.

HUGONIS. (*Rosa Hugonis*.) (China.) Light yellow flowers, 2 inches across. Grows 6 to 8 feet tall. Charming early-flowering shrub. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40.



HON. LADY LINDSAY
\$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

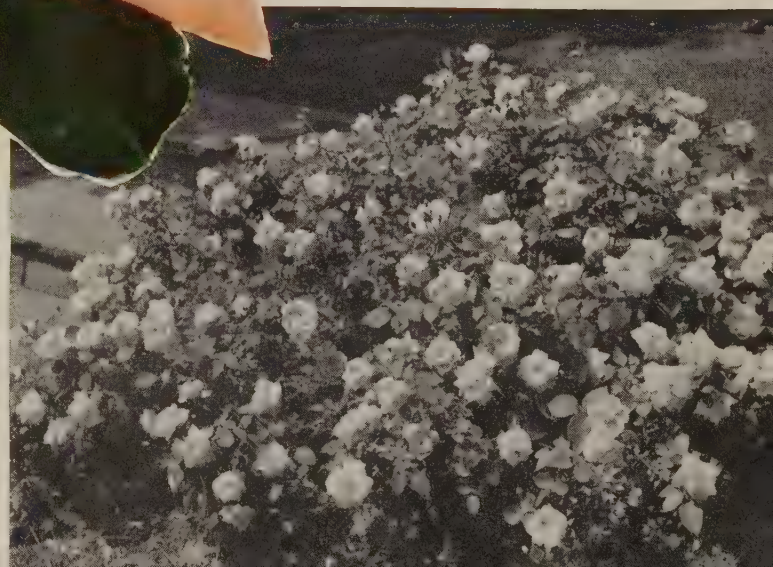


AUTUMN BOUQUET
\$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40

ORATAM. (M. R. Jacobus, 1939.) Pat. 257. A comparatively new Hybrid Damask. Orange-copper. Grows 5 to 6 feet high and produces dozens of blooms with delicious Damask fragrance. Use it as a specimen shrub or as a solid border or hedge planting to produce a most attractive color effect in June. Foliage is exceptionally beautiful and handsome. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.40. **Supply very limited.**

AUGUST 1st DEADLINE

Rose communications regarding plant performance must reach us by August 1 following a fall or spring planting.



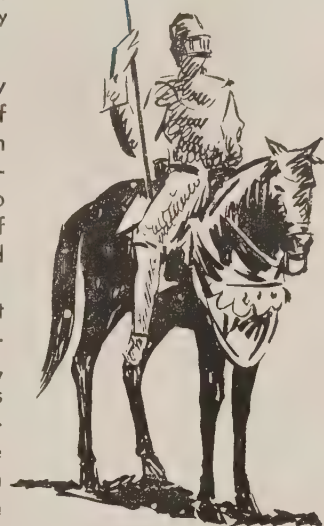
Bobbink & Atkins

Old-Fashioned Historical Roses

CULTURE: They require little feeding after once they are planted in a good average soil with plenty of natural organic matter. Spraying or dusting them is also unnecessary. Of course, they are winter-hardy everywhere.

Every grown man and woman cherishes some memory of the fragrant, unsophisticated charm of the Roses of long ago. Even the most unsentimental gardener has an uneasy feeling that something precious may have disappeared with the old-time Roses, for surely flowers so beloved centuries ago must have been worthy of affection and regard, as much as the songs they inspired and the memories they have left.

More and more that feeling of loss seems to have crept into the consciousness of all who love Roses. The movement to bring them back advanced slowly and painfully, accompanied by considerable expense. Friends of this firm have known for a long time of our interest in Old-Fashioned Roses. Regardless of their sentimental value they have many sterling qualities, not the least of which is their genuine old-Rose perfume oftentimes rare in modern



Roses. What if their flowers do not have the regularity, the finish, the texture, or the perfection as we call it of the modern bloom? The limits of beauty extend beyond the boundaries of modern taste. The old Roses have an eloquence of their own which speaks compellingly to all who love the Rose, who know its history and appreciate what it means to humanity.

Planted in mixed borders simulating old-fashioned gardens, they may be given a place apart from the Rose garden where they may flower among the wall-flowers, the daffodils, and the primroses, blending their fragrance with the lilies and pinks and all the delightful odds and ends which make the true charm of the garden.

PRUNING: Flowers are borne on old wood. As the plants age, thin out old wood in the early spring, saving the best 1-year and 2-year stems; shorten laterals. If they are to be grown for height, prune sparingly, in which case the flowers will be less perfect. For very fine flowers, cut down to 2½ to 3 feet each spring.

The Moss Rose

BLANCHE MOREAU. (Moreau-Robert, 1880.) Heavily mossed buds and white, double flowers, tinged with pink in the center, borne in clusters. Very vigorous and free flowering. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

CAPITAINE JOHN INGRAM. (Laffay, 1854.) Dark red double blooms of medium size. The lovely buds are well mossed. Vigorous, free-blooming plant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

COMTESSE DE MURINAIS. (Vibert, 1843.) Buds blush-pink opening to chaste white, tinged pink at edge of petals. Very refined. Very fragrant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

CRAMOISI VELOUTE. Large, double blooms of dark scarlet. One of the few good "red" Moss Roses. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00. **Sold out until Fall 1952.**

CRESTED MOSS. It has been called Cristata and Chapeau de Napoleon. Although it is not a true Moss, the calyx of the bloom is so remarkably fringed and frilled that it cannot be assigned to any other class. The flowers are large, full, and bright rose-pink. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

DUCHESSE D'ISTRIE. (Laffay, 1855.) Large, double, bright rosy pink flowers, borne in clusters. This is the variety that all collectors of Old-Fashioned Roses consider very much worth while. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

GLOIRE DES MOUSSEUX. (Laffay, 1852.) Old authorities claimed this to be finest of all Mosses. The buds are splendidly mossed and the imbricated pink flowers are very lovely. Plants are vigorous and productive. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

HENRI MARTIN. (Laffay, 1863.) Shapely mossed buds and fairly large, shining crimson, semi-double flowers. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

JEANNE DE MONTFORT. (Robert, 1851 or 1854.) Large, flat, semi-double flowers of clear pink, edged with silver. A tall, vigorous grower; very free flowering. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

LA NEIGE. (Moranville, 1905.) Pure white flowers of medium size, double and sweet. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.



Showing the characteristics of the true old Moss Rose. Varieties in many colors are described on this page.



JEANNE DE MONTFORT.
\$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00

LOUIS GIMMARD. A very good, full brilliant orchid and mauve-pink Moss Rose. The long stems are heavily clothed with moss and it is a free bloomer and easy grower. This is one of the oldest historical Moss Roses, probably dating back to the 1600's. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MME. LOUIS LEVEQUE. (Léveque, 1898.) While this is a modern variety compared to many others we offer, it is now considered, from a standpoint of size, perfume and mossiness, to be one of the finest of all times. The color is a brilliant salmon-pink, and we find that occasional flowers of large size are produced in autumn. Stems well mossed, and perfume of the flower is extraordinary. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MOUSSEUX ANCIEN. The delicate pink flowers are shaded darker toward the center. The sepals are beautifully mossed, making it very lovely in the bud stage. One of the finest of the Old Mosses. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

OLD PINK MOSS (COMMON OR OLD MOSS; COMMUNIS). This is the original old Moss Rose which came to England from Holland about 1596. It is still one of the finest varieties. Bud is well mossed; large, globular, pale rose-pink flowers. Vigorous. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

SALET. (Robert, 1854.) One of the Perpetual-flowering Mosses which bloom again in autumn if given special care. The flowers are rosy pink with blush edges. The autumn bloom is unusually good. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

WALDTRAUT NIELSEN. Large, clear deep pink Moss. One of the best. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

6 GOOD MOSS ROSES

BLANCHE MOREAU. White, tinged pink in center.

GLOIRE DE MOUSSEUX. Imbricated pink flowers.

LA NEIGE. Pure white; double.

LOUIS GIMARD. Bright pink.

MOUSSEUX ANCIEN. Delicate pink shaded darker in center.

SALET. Rosy pink; blooming again in autumn.

GROUP OFFER S-52-18

All 6 for \$11.85 (Regular Value \$13.50)

GROUP OFFER S-52-19

Any 3 you may select from these six for \$6.00



The French or Gallica Roses

Centuries ago the only hardy garden Roses were a few groups of once-blooming types and probably the most popular of them were the Gallicas, or so-called French Roses.



ROSA GALLICA. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00

CARDINAL DE RICHELIEU. (Laffay, 1840.) Very dark, double flowers of medium size, extremely handsome and rich in coloring. In some lights the deeper violet tones are almost blue, and in others they are purple verging to velvety black. Supply limited. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$8.00.

COUPE D'HEBE. (Laffay, 1840.) From deep rose-pink to pale tones; full cupped flower; very fragrant. Vigorous growth. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

DESIREE PARMENTIER. Color is between light red and deep pink. Its spectacular color combination always draws the attention of lovers of Old-fashioned Roses. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

DUC DE GUICHE. Large, double flowers of a curious orchid shade. An oddity of great interest. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

DUMORTIER. (1810.) Very double; rose-pink with silvery pink reflexes. Most attractive and distinct. This historical French Rose is always prized for its fresh, brilliant coloring. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

GEORGES VIBERT. (Robert, 1853.) One of the most striking Gallica Roses—bright solid pink occasionally penciled with reddish pink or white stripes. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

JEANNETTE. (Descemet, 1880.) Double flowers of bright light red, fading gradually to light rose-pink. An attractive variety. While the French term this "light red," it is really a gorgeous combination of vermillion and old-rose-pink, very similar to the popular Hybrid Tea, Margaret McGredy. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.



ROSA MUNDI. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00

LA RUBANEE. (Vibert, 1845.) This is one of the most popular of the old varieties. We find it identical to those we receive from time to time under the name of Village Maid, Panachée Double and Perle des Panachées. Rose-pink on a white background. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MARIE TUDOR. Described in old catalogue as cherry-red or cerise, but the variety we have under this name is salmon-pink, marbled with rose, and is really one of the most distinct varieties in the Gallica class. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

CEILLET PARFAIT. (Foulard, 1841.) Medium-sized, very double flowers of pale blush-pink, striped with red and crimson. Resembles a scarlet bizarre carnation. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$8.00.

PRESIDENT DE SEZE. (Mme. Hébert.) Lilac-red, shaded violet-orchid—most unusual color found in no other Rose. Very large, full, magnificent flowers in great profusion practically covering the plant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

PRESIDENT DUTAILLY. (Dubreuil, 1888.) Carmine-pink flowers of large size; deep cupped form and very fragrant. Very floriferous. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$5.40.

ROSA GALICA. Ancestor of all the French Roses and, in fact, there is Gallica blood in most every modern hybrid Rose. Large, single, dark pink flowers on erect bushes 2½ to 3 feet tall. Cut them for home decoration, arrange them in a low bowl, and you have a "replica" of the finest paintings by the old masters. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

ROSA MUNDI. (Vibert, 1875.) Rather large, semi-double flowers of white or pale pink, broadly striped red and dark rose. Some petals may be all white, others all red, some half white and half red, some evenly striped. This is the Rose usually sold as York and Lancaster and a far more colorful and interesting Rose, (except, perhaps not quite so historical). \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

TRICOLORE DE FLANDRE. (Van Houtte, 1846.) The double, well-shaped flowers are lilac-white, striped with pink, purple, and crimson; fragrant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

The Damask Rose (Rosa Damascena)

The Damask Roses are very hardy and make robust growth, clothed with large, rough, light green leaves. Their flowers are very freely produced and are generally borne in trusses of three or more. The fame of their powerful fragrance is only one of their attributes.

KAZANLIK (*Rosa damascena trigintipetala*). Southeastern Europe. A semi-double form of the *Rosa damascena* grown in the Balkans for the production of attar of roses. 3 to 4 feet. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$8.00.

KING GEORGE IV. (Rivers, 1830.) Loosely double, cupped flowers of dark vivid crimson. Grows like a Hybrid Perpetual and blooms in June. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MAIDEN'S BLUSH. (Kew, 1797.) Unquestionably one of the loveliest of all the old Roses. There is a freshness about its rosy white color, shaded to a fine salmon-pink at the base, that is not equaled in any other variety. The petals of the semi-double flowers are most artistically arranged. Another attribute is its pronounced fragrance and sweet perfume. Maiden's Blush is probably a hybrid of *Rosa alba* (York Rose) and therefore rather difficult to classify. We are probably correct in calling it one of the old Damasks. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.



ROSA DAMASCENA. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00

MARIE LOUISE. Large, double flowers of rich deep pink. They are intensely fragrant and beautifully formed. Bushy, shrubby growth. The most desirable of the Damask family. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MME. HARDY. (Hardy, 1832.) This is the much-sought-for pure white Damask Rose. It is cup-shaped, large and full, and bears heavily in spreading clusters. We consider it the most beautiful and fragrant of the white Old-fashioned Roses. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

PROFESSEUR EMILE PERROT. (Turbat, 1931.) A delicate soft pink, very fragrant Damask Rose brought to France from Persia by Professeur Perrot. Grown in great quantities for the perfume industry. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

ROSA DAMASCENA. (1500.) The original Rose of Damascus. Yields double rose-pink blooms with 18 or more petals. When fully open, the golden stamens add to its loveliness. Pleasingly and deliciously fragrant. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

ABOUT ROSE PRICES:

To obtain the "three rate" you must order three or more of one variety to one shipping address.

Special Introductory Offer of Old-Fashioned Roses

Every grown man and woman cherishes some memory of the fragrant, unsophisticated charm of the Roses of long ago. Plant and treat them as low-growing shrubs attaining a height of 3 to 5 feet, regulated by yearly pruning or "thinning out." Or they may be set together as specimens to liven what may otherwise be a dull shrubbery border in June.

Group Offer S-52-20

**ALL 9
FOR \$15.85 Net**

(Regular value \$18.00)

All are noted for their Old-fashioned Rose perfume and fragrance. They also lend themselves to the most colorful and harmonious floral arrangements in low bowls.

CRESTED MOSS, also known as Cristata and Chapeau de Napoleon. (Moss.) Bright rose-pink.

JEANNE DE MONTFORT. (Moss.) Pink edged silver.

MAIDEN'S BLUSH. (Damask.) Rosy white, shading to fine salmon-pink.

MARIE LOUISE. (Damask.) Intensely fragrant, rich deep pink.

MME. LOUIS LEVEQUE. (Moss.) Brilliant salmon-pink.

PRESIDENT DE SEZE. (Gallica.) Lilac-red.

ROSA GALLICA. (Gallica.) Large, single, dark pink.

ROSE DES PEINTRES. (Cabbage.) Rose-pink; large and full.

STANWELL PERPETUAL. (Scotch.) Flesh-pink. **Complimentary and FREE with this group offer.**



TRICOLORE DE FLANDRE (Gallica)
\$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00



The lovely Old-fashioned Roses in the border at the Hershey Rose-Garden, Hershey, Pa.

The Cabbage Rose *Rosa centifolia*

CABBAGE (*Rosa centifolia*). This is the original Provence Rose, with double, nodding flowers of light pink, paling at the edges soon after opening. The name "Cabbage" is suggested by the incurved globular form—not the size. The blooms are no larger than a small Hybrid Tea flower. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

ROSA CENTIFOLIA MAJOR. This is the rosy or carmine-pink variety from the true centifolia. Small but very double, incurved and overlapping petals. Very scarce. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$8.00.

KONIGIN VON DANEMARK. (Booth Bros., 1898.) Flowers medium size, very full, fragrant, flesh-pink with darker center. Vigorous. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

POMPON DE BOURGOGNE. Small, very double flowers of pale pink, varying to white, tinted pink in the center; fragrant. Free-flowering. Moderate growth. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

ROSE DES PEINTRES. Rose-color to deep rose-pink; large and full, with raised center. Vigorous growth. The Rose of the old Dutch painters of still life. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

VARIEGATA DI BOLOGNA. (Bonfiglioli, 1909.) This is the largest of all striped Roses and shows the pure white background with purplish red veinings on each petal. Plant makes a spectacular pillar or large, vigorous shrub. The blooms are the true large, double, globular, Cabbage Rose type. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$8.00.

VIERGE DE CLERY. (Baron Veillard, 1888.) Snow-white blooms of large size; exceedingly fragrant. Considered the best white Cabbage Rose in existence. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

5 OLD-FASHIONED ROSES

Our Selection

Five named varieties in 5 different classes, all labeled when you get them. It is difficult to predict what our customers will buy, and so surpluses develop in certain varieties. In return for the opportunity to select the available varieties of which we still have good plants, we can offer them at a greatly reduced price. Check their value when you receive them and if not eventually satisfied, your money will be returned.

GROUP OFFER S-52-21
Five Old-Fashioned Roses for
\$8.45 NET



Illustrating the typical petal arrangement of all Cabbage Roses



Miniature Roses

All of these Roses are \$1.00 each; 3 of a kind for \$2.50

The three rate holds for three of one variety. All our Miniature Roses are sent to you in 3 or 4-inch pots.

These charming little Roses, sometimes called "Miniatures," seldom grow more than a foot high. Through small and dainty, they are comparatively hardy. They should never be planted right in among other everblooming Roses, although they do make nice edging plants for the small Rose garden. They are at home among the smaller rock-garden and alpine plants in a favored or sheltered location. They do not thrive as house plants but do well in a small greenhouse.

OAKINGTON RUBY. Deep crimson buds opening to ruby-red—lovely, non-fading color with no white center.

PIXIE. Pat. 408. A tiny, fully double, white Rose only $\frac{3}{4}$ inch across. Buds are sometimes tinged pink.

POMPON DE PARIS (Pompon Ancien). The plants are small; buds pointed; flowers a deep pink.

RED ELF. Pat. 973. The richest and deepest colored of the Miniatures—velvety Bordeaux red with a touch of white at the base of the petals. A strong grower, blooming profusely from late May on.

ROSA ROULETTI. Double rose-pink flowers, less than $\frac{1}{2}$ inch across. The original Fairy or Miniature Rose.

SWEET FAIRY. Pat. 748. Deep pink buds; very double, 1-inch blooms of apple-blossom-pink. Richly fragrant. Long lasting and fine for miniature arrangements.

Austrian Briers

Austrian Briers are descendants of *Rosa foetida*, and the ancestors of the modern yellow, orange, and copper Hybrid Teas.

AUSTRIAN YELLOW. The yellow-flowered type of Austrian Copper. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

PERSIAN YELLOW. Double, rather small, deep golden yellow flowers, produced along the canes in the manner characteristic of this class. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

Old-Fashioned Roses, continued

Rose Species and Oddities

Rosa alba. York Rose. Large, flat, pure, white blooms with yellow centers, varying from single to semi-double. The tissue-like petals of this lovely old Rose are quite distinct, as is the gray-green wood and glaucous foliage. This historical Rose is always a "must have" for collectors of old Roses. Tall growth. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

R. Ecae (R. Primula). (Turkestan.) Pale yellowish flowers, 1 to $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches across, borne freely along the erect leafy branches very early in the season. Prickly stems 4 to 5 feet tall, with finely divided foliage which, when wet, emits a strong odor of formic acid. Its shiny dark green leaves and red thorns on the branches make it very attractive the whole year round. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00. **Illustrated page 25.**

R. Eglanteria (R. rubiginosa). Eglantine; Sweetbrier. Bright pink flowers in small clusters. Noted for fragrance of the young foliage. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

R. Moyesi. (Western China.) Deep blood-red blooms, 2 to 3 inches across. The color of the flowers is not only unlike that of any other Rose, but of any other flower. It is a vivid yet deep, warm, velvety, reddish terra-cotta, a color one sometimes sees in old needlework and impossible to describe. Strong grower. Beautiful foliage. 6 to 8 feet. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

R. mutabilis. This unusual species from China gives flowers of several colors on the one plant. Large, single flowers of rose-pink, yellow, buff, and orange are produced all summer. Bushy plant 2 to 3 feet high. Very scarce. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

R. Primula. See *R. Ecae*.

R. pomifera vilosa. (1762.) Better known as the "Apple Rose" of Central Europe and so named because of its exceptionally large, rich red fruits shaped like apples. The flowers are rosy pink. Extremely hardy and very ornamental. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

R. rubrifolia (R. ferruginea). Red-leaved Rose. (Central and Southern Europe.) Pink flowers. Remarkable for the beauty of its foliage, which is bronze-red. Red fruits. 6 feet. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.75.

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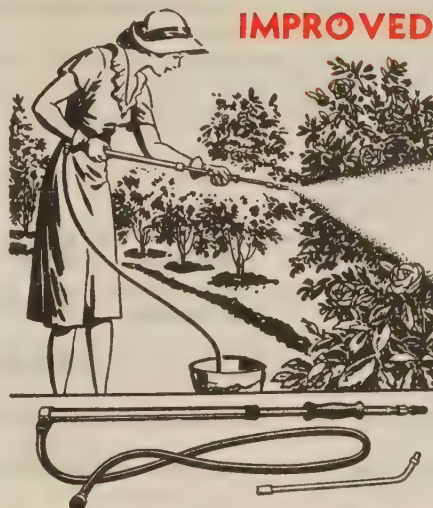
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B. & A. Rose Spray contains a high percentage of active ingredients, including DDT, Sulphur, Fermate, Rotenone, etc. It is positive protection against black-spot, mildew, red spider, aphids, thrips, Japanese and Asiatic beetles, and other insects that attack roses and other ornamental plants.

For healthier plants, greener, unblemished foliage and larger blooms, use B. & A. Rose Spray every seven to ten days, especially after rains.

This product may be used on all ornamental outdoor plants, including deciduous shrubs.

4 ozs.	will treat 20 to 24 rose plants, according to size, for a season	POSTPAID ... \$1.50
1 lb.	will treat 80 to 100 rose plants, according to size, for a season	POSTPAID ... \$4.75
5 lbs.	will treat 400 to 500 rose plants, according to size, for a season	POSTPAID ... \$16.00

(POSTPAID FOR REMITTANCE WITH ORDER UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED)

BOBBINK & ATKINS GIFT ORDERS



Gift Certificate

To:

We are pleased to advise you that we have been authorized by:

to send you the following plants:

for shipment during planting season next This order shall have our careful attention at the best time for planting in your area.

We appreciate the opportunity of sending you this gift, and sincerely hope that these plants will give you much pleasure and satisfaction.

BOBBINK & ATKINS,
East Rutherford, N. J.

Order No.

Remember your gardening friends with Gift Orders for Anniversaries, Birthdays, Christmas, Easter, and other occasions. This service is maintained throughout the year, every order receiving individual attention. Shipments of plants are made in the spring and again in the fall at the proper time for transplanting; sundries and other items as you may instruct.

Before mailing your gift selection and remittance, kindly read our terms on page 13. Roses and perennials are shipped postpaid when the paid order equals \$5.00 or more. Should it be for less than this amount, we make a 50 cents service charge to cover postage and handling of each order for each recipient. On Trees, Shrubs, balled and burlapped Rhododendrons, Azaleas etc., normally shipped by Railway Express, delivery charges collect, please add 20% of the catalog value of the items ordered so that they may be sent express, prepaid. Upon receipt of your selection and instructions, a beautiful gift card, as illustrated, will be mailed to the recipient unless otherwise instructed. The formal order acknowledgment will be mailed to you showing about when and how the order will be shipped.

COMBINATION OFFER No. 1

5 lbs. B. & A. Improved Rose Dust
1 Improved Quart Duster
(Regular Value \$7.95)
Postpaid for ... \$7.35

COMBINATION OFFER No. 2

1 lb. B. & A. New Rose Spray
1 G. S. Sprayer
(Regular Value \$12.00)
Postpaid for ... \$10.75

COMBINATION OFFER No. 3

1 Hydrex Garden Irrigator
1 50-ft. length Supplex Tuff-Ply Plastic Hose
(Regular Value \$13.70)
Postpaid for ... \$12.25

(POSTPAID FOR REMITTANCE WITH ORDER)

Old-Fashioned Roses, continued

China, Bengal, Bourbon and Noisette Roses

Most of these are the original "Everblooming" or Monthly Roses. The old-fashioned Chinas and Teas are low and bushy in growth, similar to the more modern Hybrid Teas. Thought at one time to be tender for northern states, they have proved to be as hardy as any of our Roses.

BIRDIE BLYE. Bengal. (Dr. W. Van Fleet, 1904.) Pink, fragrant flowers, produced in diffuse clusters. A fairly large bush, quite hardy, and everblooming. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

GIPSY BOY. Bourbon. Red. Dark crimson-red flowers of medium size. Plants make a strong bush growing 3 to 5 feet high. An admirable border Rose. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

HERMOSA. China. (Marcheseau, 1840.) Pink. Medium-sized, soft pink, double flowers. Good healthy, bushy plants up to 2 feet. This is a favorite of three generations. Truly everblooming. 35 petals. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00. **Supply temporarily exhausted.**

HOFGARTNER KALB. China. (Felberg-Leclerc, 1914.) Makes fine bushy plants 2 to 2½ feet high, covered with an abundance of lively pink flowers of charming shape and delicious fragrance. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

LOUIS PHILIPPE. China. Red. Medium size, double, globular, deep scarlet-red flowers. Bushy and profuse bloomer growing to about 2 feet. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MARECHAL NIEL. Noisette. (Pradel, 1864.) Yellow. Lovely buds and flowers of deep golden yellow double and extremely fragrant. Since it is not hardy in the North we have grown a quantity of large, trained, greenhouse-grown pot-plants for use in a conservatory or cool greenhouse at \$3.50 each. Also dormant plants for outdoor planting in mild southern climates. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$6.75.

MME. PLANTIER. Noisette. (Plantier, 1835.) Rather small, pure white flowers without much form, but so abundantly produced as to cover the gigantic bush. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

MUTABILIS (*Rosa mutabilis*). China. This unusual species gives flowers of several colors on the one plant. Large, single flowers of rose-pink, yellow, buff, and orange are produced all summer. Bushy plant 2 to 3 feet high. Very scarce. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

SOUVENIR DE LA MALMAISON. Bourbon. (Beluze, 1843.) Blush. Pale flesh-colored flowers emitting a haunting fragrance. Plant dwarf and bushy, 2 feet high. \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

THE GREEN ROSE (*Rosa chinensis viridiflora*). China. Green. The flower formation consists of a "tuft" of green sepals, with no colored petals at all; hence the name of this most unusual variety. Grows as a vigorous, 3 to 4-foot bush. \$3.00 each; 3 for \$8.00.



ROSA ECAE (R. *Primula*)
\$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00. See page 24

This wild Rose of Japan and Korea has been found to be wonderful as a tall, dense hedge. Nurserymen use it as understock on which Roses are grafted, but it is also most useful for bordering woodland areas or drives or for fence purposes. The small white flowers come in large trusses along stout arching canes, followed by red fruits relished by the birds. In its place this makes a fast-growing, impenetrable barrier, but it should be confined to places where it can be left to grow as it pleases—and this means primarily farms and large properties rather than smaller plots. It grows as tall as 8 feet and as broad as 6 feet; if pruned back, it does not bloom as much although it will thrive when pruned to any desired height and width.

Plant 18 inches apart in a straight row for hedge or fence purposes. Therefore, use 25 plants for a 40-foot hedge; 50 plants for 75 feet; 100 plants for 150 feet, etc., etc.

Prices of the two grades or sizes we offer:

Extra grade, 18 to 24-in. plants, 2-year transplanted seedlings:

10 plants for \$3.75

25 plants for \$8.00

50 or more at the rate of \$28.00 per 100

Regular grade, 15 to 18-in. plants, 1-year transplanted seedlings:

10 plants for \$2.75

25 plants for \$5.50

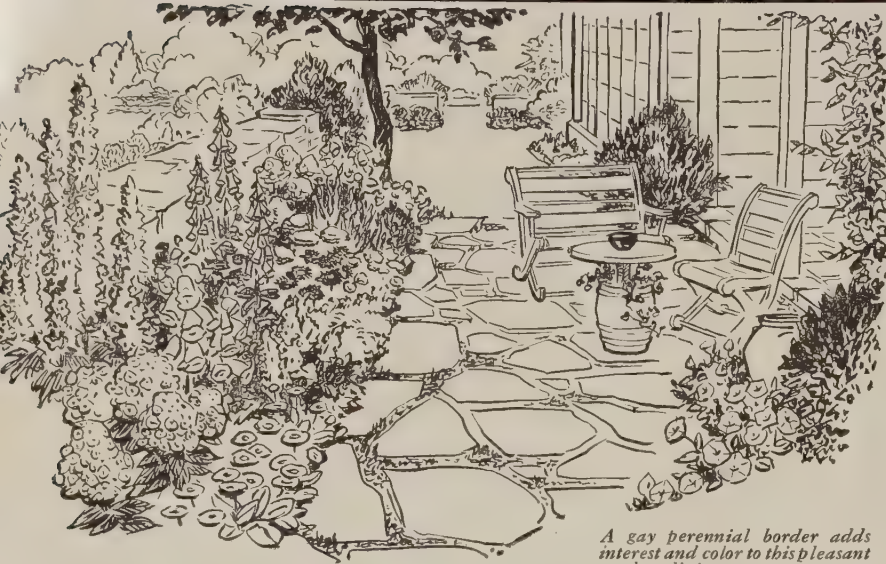
50 or more at the rate of \$18.00 per 100

(Both grades are strong, heavy plants and of course, you get a quicker effect and denser hedge with the larger extra-grade plants.)

All *Rosa multiflora* plants are sent to you correctly pruned and cut back for successful transplanting.

← ROSA MULTIFLORA for A Living Fence





A gay perennial border adds interest and color to this pleasant outdoor living room.

Hardy Herbaceous

PERENNIALS •

Varieties starred (★) for rock-gardens.
Varieties daggered (†) for cut-flowers.

ACHILLEA

Filipendulina, Golden Plate. Yarrow. Attractive plants having golden yellow flowers. Excellent for cutting. 2 to 2½ ft. June, July. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Ptarmica, Boule de Neige (Ball of Snow). †Large, full, white flowers that are excellent for cutting. 1½ ft. June to Sept. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

ALYSSUM, HARDY

Basket of Gold

Early-flowering perennials. Excellent for edging flower-beds and in association with spring-flowering bulbs.

Saxatile compactum. Compact masses of ★single yellow flowers. 1 ft. April, May. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

ANCHUSA • Alkanet

Italica. An erect plant with clusters of large †blue flowers, excellent for cutting. If not allowed to go to seed, will bloom from June to September. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Myosotidiflora. Forget-me-not-flowered ★**Anchusa.** Likes partial shade and is a fine ground-cover. 1 to 1½ ft. April, May. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.



HARDY FORGET-ME-NOT
(Anchusa myosotidiflora) 3 for \$2.00

ANEMONE • Windflower

Sold for Spring Planting Only

The Anemones are among the choicest of perennials, indispensable in the border. They require plenty of moisture, prefer slight shade, and should be given some winter protection. Useful for city gardens because of their endurance of smoke, fog, and dampness.

ANEMONE JAPONICA

Japonica, Kriemhilde. Large, semi-double †flowers of a striking vivid pink shade. 2½ ft. Sept., Oct.

Japonica, Mont Rose. An outstanding large, †clear rose flower. Semi-double.

Japonica, September Charm. Considered ★one of the earliest and best varieties. Carries many flowers of silver-pink and rose in September. 2 ft.

Japonica, Whirlwind. Large; strong; semi-†double; white. 2½ to 3 ft. Sept., Oct.

Japonica hupehensis superba. Large pink ★flowers. One of the best and largest flowering of the Hupehensis type.

Japonica rubra fl.-pl. Semi-double; rosy red. †1½ to 2 ft. Sept., Oct.

ANEMONE SPECIES

Pulsatilla. Pasque-Flower. An attractive ★dwarf plant. Flowers shade from lilac to purple. 8 to 10 in. April, May.

All Anemones: 3 of one variety for \$2.00;
10 of one variety for \$5.50.



ANEMONE Japonica. 3 for \$2.00

ANTHEMIS • Chamomile

Moonlight. Pale yellow flowers about 2½ inches in diameter. Blooms all summer and is excellent for cutting. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

ARABIS • Rock-Cress

A fine subject for massing or edging. Average garden soil and sunny location.

Alpina. A mat of gray-green foliage above which ★the pure white flowers appear like a snowy cloud in April and May. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Alpina fl. pl. A double form of the preceding. ★3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

SPECIAL OFFER

ANEMONE JAPONICA

4 plants, 1 each of 4 varieties (our selection)
for \$2.50 (Regular value \$3.08)

8 plants, 2 each of 4 varieties (our selection)
for \$4.85 (Regular value \$6.16)

A. Pulsatilla may be planted in spring or fall.

AQUILEGIA • Columbine

These well-loved perennials prefer partial shade. They add charm to the border and rock-garden planting and are splendid for cutting. Plant them in groups of three for best effect.

Alpina. The lovely low-growing Columbine so ★useful in rockeries. A beautiful deep blue. 10 in. April, May.

Cerulea. Rocky Mountain Columbine. ★Colors vary from pure white to deep blue. Needs acid soil and deep shade. 1 to 2 ft.

Crimson Star. Large flowers with crimson sepals and spurs and white petals. A really spectacular flower. 2 ft. May, June.

Longissima. A very lovely variety having pale yellow flowers and exceptionally long spurs. Excellent cut-flower. 2 to 3 ft.

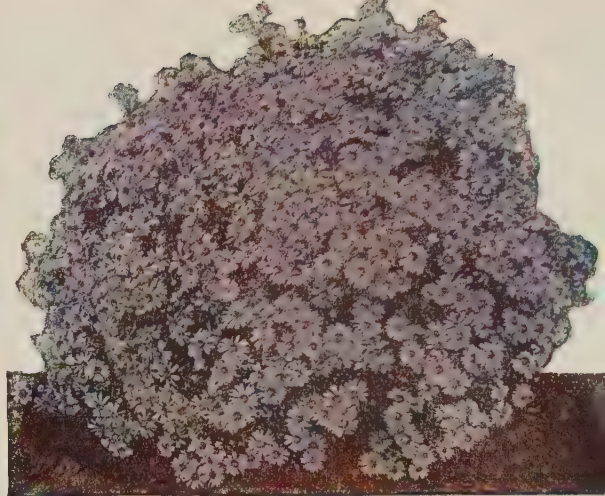
Long-spurred Hybrids. Assorted colors, all shades. A fine strain. 2 to 3 ft. May, June.

Silver Queen. A very fine, pure white flowering variety. Good for cutting. Excellent for gardens which are artificially lighted at night.

All Aquilegias: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 of one variety for \$4.50



AQUILEGIA, B.&A. Long-spurred Hybrids
3 for \$1.50



NEW DWARF ASTER, Victor. 3 for \$1.75

ARCTOSTAPHYLOS • Bearberry

Uva-ursi. This useful, low-growing, gray-green-foliaged ground-cover has not been as popular as it deserves to be. Excellent for covering sandy banks and rocky slopes; very few plants can equal it for effectiveness. Well-established plants, pot-grown. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

ARMERIA • Thrift; Sea Pink

Dwarf evergreen plants with grass-like foliage. Used extensively as edging plants and in rock-gardens. Thrives in sandy loam and full sun.

Glory of Holland. A large-flowering crimson ★type having 12 to 15-inch stems. Very attractive. Blooms from early spring through August. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Lauchiana. Rosy red flowers; 6-inch stems. ★May, June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

ARTEMISIA • Ghost-Plant

Silver King. Grown for its fine silvery foliage. †Very useful for bouquets. 3 ft. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

ASCLEPIAS • Butterfly-Plant

Tuberosa. One of our showiest native plants. †Long lived and thrives in a sandy loam and full sunlight. Bears large heads of brilliant orange-scarlet flowers. 2 to 3 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.



ANTHEMIS, Moonlight. 3 for \$2.00

ASTERS

MICHAELMAS DAISIES

Perennial or hardy Asters are unrivaled for their varying forms and bright gay colors in the border during late summer and autumn. Their outstanding shades of color lend themselves well for cutting or decorative purposes. Perfectly hardy and of easy culture, they should be selected for their intended purpose, as their varying heights offer much latitude in planting.

DWARF ASTERS

(Including all Dumosus types)

Audrey. Very free flowering. Amethyst-violet. †1½ to 2 ft. Sept., Oct.

Peter Harrison. Large pink flowers on a dwarf, compact-growing plant. 1½ ft. Aug., Sept.

Spectabile, Seaside Aster. Blooms profusely. †throughout the season. Pale blue. 2 ft.

★**Victor.** Flowers clear lavender-blue. 9 in.



ASTER, Mount Everest. 3 for \$1.75

TALL ASTERS

(Including Novi-Belgi and Novae-Angliae types)

Beechwood Challenger. Very fine clear red †with a prominent yellow disc. A bushy grower with healthy foliage. The deepest of the reds. 3 ft.

Gay Border Blue. Semi-double, rich violet-†blue. 3½ to 4 ft.

Harrington's Pink. A really choice, outstanding, new pink Aster. Color is a soft clear rose. Blooms freely on a strong, bushy plant.

Hybridus luteus. Clusters of small yellow †flowers. 2 to 3 ft. July to Sept.

Mount Everest. Large, pure white flowers †cover the plant. With its long flowering period it ranks supreme.

Prosperity. New. Large, rich rosy carmine †flowers. One of the best in this class.

Royal Blue. One of the best of the deep blue †Novi-Belgi type.

All Hardy Asters: 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 10 of one variety for \$5.25



ASTER, Beechwood Challenger.
3 for \$1.75



ASTER hybridus luteus. 3 for \$1.75

Special Offer

DWARF OR TALL ASTERS

Specify your preference, Tall or Dwarf

4 PLANTS (Our selection of varieties) FOR **\$2.30**
(Regular value \$2.72)

8 PLANTS, 2 each of 4 varieties FOR **\$4.35**
(Our selection of varieties)
(Regular value \$5.44)

Varieties starred (★) for rock-gardens.
Varieties daggered (†) for cut-flowers.

ASTILBE HYBRIDS · Spirea

These hardy hybrid Astilbes will thrive in any good rich soil if given plenty of water during the growing season. Flowers in showy panicles, freely produced. June, July.

Bonn. Deep carmine-pink. Erect stems; dark green foliage. An outstanding variety. 18 in. May, June.

Fanal. Its rosy crimson flower-spikes are about 15 inches tall and appear well above the foliage. Thrives in full sun or semi-shade, but prefers a shady, damp position. 1½ ft. May, June. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Prof. Van Der Wielen. Unusually long stems and side shoots, showing fine, small, pure white flowers in profusion. 2 to 2½ ft.

Rhineland. Crimson flower-spikes shaded with salmon. 1½ to 2 ft.

All Astilbes: 75 cts. each; 3 of one variety for \$2.00, except where noted

Special Offer

ASTILBE HYBRIDS

4 PLANTS, 1 each of above listed FOR **\$2.75**
(Regular value \$3.25)

BUDDLEIA · Butterfly-Bush (For delivery in spring only)

Semi-shrubs which freeze down in hard winters and come up with renewed vigor the following spring. All the Buddleias are excellent as cut-flowers as well as for their decorative value in the garden during August and September.

†**Charming.** Large, full spikes of lavender-pink.

Eleanor. Exceptionally long, well-filled spikes of lavender, shading blue. Good foliage. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Ile de France. Handsome spikes of rose-purple suffused violet. A lovely color and a fine branching plant.

Royal Purple. Lovely spikes of reddish purple. Excellent for cutting and very fragrant. 4 ft. July, Aug. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

White Cloud. A magnificent new white Butterfly-Bush. Compact, producing well-formed blooms with small yellow eyes. 4 to 5 ft. July to frost.

All Buddleias: 75 cts. each; 3 of one variety for \$2.00, except where noted

Special Offer

BUDDLEIA

5 plants, 1 each of the above listed . . . FOR **\$3.60**
(Regular value \$4.25)

CAMPANULA · Bellflower

A large family of interesting plants having a wide range of habit and color. Some are adapted to rock-gardens, and others are invaluable for the border.

Persicifolia, Peach-leaved Bellflower. Large, cup-shaped, blue flowers. 2 ft. June, July.

Persicifolia alba. Same as above variety, but has white flowers.

Persicifolia, Blue Gardenia. A new introduction with blooms measuring 2½ to 3 inches across, along a 2½-foot stem, with five or more spikes to the plant. Flowers are a beautiful shade of bright lavender-blue, with attractive foliage. 2½ ft. June, July. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.



ASTILBE, Fanal. 3 for \$2.50



BUDDLEIA, Charming. 3 for \$2.00



CAMPANULA, Blue Gardenia. 3 for \$1.75

CAMPANULAS for the Rock-Garden

Carpatica, Harebell. Light blue bells in compact tufts. 8 in. July, Aug.

★**Carpatica alba.** A white form of the above.

All Campanulas: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 of one variety for \$4.50, except where noted

CENTAUREA · Cornflower

Dealbata Steenbergii. Large flowers of reddish torchid with white centers. Blends well in borders where yellow predominates. Compact grower. Blooms during July and August and attains a height of 1½ feet. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

Macrocephala. Lovely floriferous plant for sunny situations, with 4-inch head of golden yellow flowers. 3 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.



CENTAUREA dealbata Steenbergii. 3 for \$2.00

CHRYSANTHEMUM MAXIMUM Shasta Daisies

The Shasta Daisies must be included as one of the most valuable and desirable cut-flowers. Their unusual whiteness and long-lasting quality make them perfect subjects for bouquets and other flower decorations. The plants are sturdy, free flowering from early summer until fall.

Aglaia. Very broad, glistening white petals. †Ends of petals are rounded, not pointed as in others. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Arcticum, Arctic Daisy. White, slightly tinged rose or lilac. Dwarf, spreading growth. Do not confuse with the tall Arcticum. Sept. to Nov. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Fringed Beauty. A strong grower with large, fringed, fluffy white flowers. Very good for cutting. 18 to 24 in. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Majestic. Immense white flowers 5 to 6 inches in diameter, with a small yellow center. Very hardy and a good grower. Petals are straight and do not droop. Good stiff stems 2 to 2½ feet tall. Blooms medium early. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

Nipponicum. Something rare and unusual. †A native of Japan with dark lustrous green leaves and 2½ to 3-inch, dazzling white, daisy-like flowers. Extremely hardy; nearly evergreen. 2 ft. Aug. to frost. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

COREOPSIS

Verticillata. Small, yellow-flowering variety, †with finely divided foliage. Thrives in most any location; grows and spreads rapidly. 2 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

CYCLAMEN, Hardy

These dwarf Cyclamen are entirely hardy and are excellent subjects for the rock-garden or shaded wild garden. They do best if planted in leaf soil and shade.

Europaeum. Leaves are marbled and ★veined white. Flowers from pale pink to deep rose; fragrant. Late summer. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Neapolitanum. A charming and easily ★grown Cyclamen. Foliage is marbled. Flowers vary from pure white to rich pink. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Delphiniums

No perennials are more showy than Delphiniums. Their great 20 to 30-inch spikes of flowers are produced from June until late fall and cannot be equaled for their gorgeous blue colorings and stateliness of habit. The height of the plants (4 to 5 feet) makes them ideal for the background of borders.

All plants for spring delivery are well established in 3-inch pots and will transplant without difficulty.

†BELLADONNA

A fine light blue Delphinium. Still unsurpassed for cutting. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

†LAMARTINE

A strong grower with good foliage. Its handsome spikes of fine dark blue flowers provide cut-flowers from June to September. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Varieties starred (★) for rock-gardens.
Varieties daggered (†) for cut-flowers.



CHRYSANTHEMUM maximum, Majestic.
3 for \$2.00

ALL OTHER CHRYSANTHEMUMS
See Pages 30 and 31

Giant-Flowering Hybrids

NAMED VARIETIES

A new strain of Delphinium which has been recently developed and is now recognized as superior to all former named varieties.

†**Blue Jay.** Bright medium blue with a dark bee.

Guinevere. Light pinkish lavender with a white †bee.

King Arthur. Brilliant rich royal purple with a †large white bee.

Percival. Imposing spikes of soft white florets. Overlapping petals. Dark bee.

Summer Skies. Clear blue with a white bee.

Above Delphinium: 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50

Special Offer

Giant-flowering Hybrid
Delphiniums

5 plants,
one of each named variety

\$3.10

10 plants,
two of each named variety

\$6.00

LYONDEL GIANT HYBRID DELPHINIUMS

A new strain especially selected for their larger flowers and wide range of assorted colors ranging from pale blues to deep purples without whites. The individual florets are either single, semi-double or double. This type has been found to be very hardy. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

PRICES

All Perennials are more attractive planted in groups of at least three or more of one variety. We suggest this be considered when ordering and planting. Our prices are made accordingly. Perennials are sold in units of three or more unless an each price is quoted.

DIANTHUS HYBRIDS

Hardy Pinks

This very interesting group of Dianthus is indispensable for the cut-flowers resembling Carnations; medium-length stems and in many harmonious colors.

June Carmine. A very lovely shade of bright ★carmine-pink with a spicy fragrance. Full double flowers, perfectly formed. Growth compact and cushion-like. Extra hardy. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Pink Princess. A fine new seedling worthy of ★being called a garden gem. A true hardy type, flowering continually from early summer until late fall. Its spicy fragrance makes it comparable to the finest greenhouse Carnation varieties. May to Nov. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Rose Queen. Lovely deep rose-pink. Very ★free flowering. Stems 12 to 18 inches tall. June to Sept. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

White Reserve. White, with fine glaucous ★foliage. Indispensable for low massed white color effect, in May and June. Very hardy and long lived. 1 ft. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.



GIANT-FLOWERING HYBRID DELPHINIUMS



HARDY PINKS



ANNE

The glorious new Anemone center type hardy Chrysanthemums of the Princess Series.

NEW HARDY ANEMONE- FLOWERED MUMS

We believe that we have what the home gardener has long been looking for. These newly introduced Chrysanthemums are very hardy, easy to grow and striking in color. They cannot be fully described and must be seen to be appreciated. Therefore, we urge you to try a few in your flower-bed, border, or scattered here and there among other plants for full fall coloring. Originated by Mr. Louis Reichert of Belle Harbor N. Y., and highly endorsed by us.

THE PRINCESS SERIES

Foliage up to the flower-heads. Flowers 2 to 3 inches across, with crested or pin-cushion centers. Frost resistant. Good for cutting. Oct., Nov.

ANNE

Large flowers 3 to 3½ inches across of rich dark copper flecked with gold. The unique pin-cushion center of gold becomes larger and heavier as flowers develop. Perfect with autumn foliage for cut-flower arrangements and the garden. L-2. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

DORIS (New)

Distinctly different and entralling to lovers of soft colors. A soft silvery lavender-pink with a very neat yellow pin-cushion center. Very free flowering.

This lovely, compact, low-growing Chrysanthemum is completely alive with flowers in the fall. M-2. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

MARIE

A distinct shade of Indian red, entirely different than Pocahontas or Anne. The golden crest in the center allows a beautiful contrast, as the flower changes to a lovely soft rust. A tall grower but bushy in habit. Late fall. L-2. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Hardy Garden

At a time when Nature begins to relax and the glories of summer are at a low ebb, Hardy Chrysanthemums burst into a radiant display of color, beauty, and form. Resplendent in rainbow-like colors, some bold and vivid, some dainty and exquisite, they add a radiance and zest to autumn. Their beauty remains a delightfully refreshing memory and a reminder of a glorious flower-filled year.

Set the plants out in the hardy border in good rich soil. Bushy plants will be developed if they are pinched back in June and July. A dressing of fertilizer in July is beneficial. Water frequently.

PRINCESS SERIES, continued

NORA

An extremely handsome, Anemone-flowered Chrysanthemum which has a rich rosy purple flower interposed with silver, which gleams through the rows of petals. Holds its color well throughout the season. Excellent foliage; grows to 3 feet. Perfect companion for other yellow Chrysanthemums. M-2. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

POCAHONTAS

A New Princess

Truly a deep rich mahogany-bronze with a crested center of deep yellow. Beautiful and outstanding. Branching, 2 to 3-foot plants, with each spray a mass of blooms of perfect form. In full flower in late October and early November. L-2. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

GROUP OFFER OF NEW MUMS

1 each of the New Princess Series
5 plants - - - - - for **\$4.15**
(Regular value \$5.00)

2 each of the New Princess Series
10 plants - - - - - for **\$8.15**
(Regular value \$10.00)

KEY TO ABBREVIATIONS:

E., early; M., medium; L., late.

RELATIVE HEIGHTS:

1, tall (2 ft.); 2, medium (18 in.); 3, low (1 ft.).



**BUTTER-
BALL**

The Time and Type of Mums We Ship

Young, healthy, growing plants in pots become established during winter and early spring for delivery in May and early June. They grow many times their present size during the summer and are ideal for spring planting.



ROSE SPOON

SPOON MUMS

These most unusual but gracefully formed Chrysanthemums are distinctly a garden treasure. The petals are tubular for most of their length, flattening out near the tips so that each petal really assumes the shape of a miniature spoon.

Orchid
White

Rose
Yellow

SPECIAL OFFER — SPOONS

4 plants, 1 each of the 4
above colors for **\$2.30**
(Regular value \$2.72)

POMPON MUMS

Butterball. New. Double, ball-like, dark lemon-yellow flowers produced profusely on low, compact plants. E-3.

Lillian Doty. Pale old-rose of true pompon type. A strong grower. M-1.

Red Doty. Dark red; habit similar to above.

White Doty. Creamy white; habit similar to all Dotys. M-1.

SPECIAL OFFER POMPON MUMS

4 plants, 1 each of above 4
varieties - - - - - FOR **\$2.25**
(Regular value \$2.72)

8 plants, 2 each of above 4
varieties - - - - - FOR **\$4.35**
(Regular value \$5.44)

Chrysanthemums

LARGE-FLOWERING

ALL MUMS: 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 10 of one variety for \$5.25, except where noted

Alabaster. Large, pure white with slightly incurved petals. Will grow to 5 inches across if disbudded. E-2.

Avalanche. Considered one of the finest whites, bearing 4-inch flowers; perfect for cutting. Double. E-1.

Charles Nye. The outstanding 1946 introduction by the University of Chicago. Bright golden yellow, full double flowers 2½ inches across. Blooms are somewhat ball shaped and are carried in clusters at the top of sturdy branches 2½ feet tall. L-2.

Chippewa. A very large, sparkling dubonnet flower 4 inches across. Double. M-1.

Courageous. Well named is this new frost-resisting Mum. Vivid crimson-red color right through inclement weather until the season's end. Good-sized, double flowers. Habit strong and upright. L-2.

Juanita. A startling, new rare color in the Chrysanthemum world—soft lavender-pink. Large flowers on strong, sturdy plants. M-2.

Lavender Belle. There have been a few new "lavender" Chrysanthemums introduced in the past few years, but this new seedling is a deep brilliant rosy lavender. It proved to be the outstanding color in our field in October. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00. M-2.

Lavender Lady. As voiced by many, the most distinct pure lavender ever offered. Double. M-1.

Mrs. P. S. du Pont III. One of the sturdiest and most prolific of its kind. Large, 4-inch flowers of soft peach, tinted with rosy salmon and fawn shades, overcast with a luminous sheen. Double. M-2.

Yellow Avalanche. An excellent double rich golden yellow. E-1.



JUANITA. 3 for \$1.75



CHIPPEWA. 3 for \$1.75



AVALANCHE. 3 for \$1.75

CULTURE

Chrysanthemums grow easily, preferring a good rich soil. Any good garden soil enriched by the addition of manures or commercial fertilizers will produce excellent results. Pinch the plants back in June and again in late July to make them bushy. The application of a balanced fertilizer during late July will give maximum results.

SUMMER AND SEPTEMBER-FLOWERING MUMS

All are Pompon Types

This group of new and recent Chrysanthemums is a worthwhile addition to your fall display in the garden.

Dean Kay Improved. Double rose-pink flowers appear in July in great profusion, continuing until heavy frost. E-1.

September Cloud. Beautifully rounded blooms of purest white. E-2.

September Gold. Brilliant golden yellow pompon blooms completely cover the plant. E-2.

SPECIAL OFFER

September-Flowering MUMS

6 plants, 2 each of above 3 varieties - - - - - FOR **\$3.25**

(Regular value \$4.08)



YELLOW AVALANCHE. 3 for \$1.75



LAVENDER LADY. 3 for \$1.75

CUSHION MUMS

All are dwarf growing, about 1 foot high, and very free flowering from early September until late frosts.

Major Cushion. Full-petaled flower of the finest pink. Very free flowering.

Pink Cushion. Showy, light pink flowers.

Red Cushion. Deep bronzy red of a selected flowering type.

White Cushion. Delicate pink to pure white; good habit.

Yellow Cushion. Very brilliant yellow.

SPECIAL OFFER CUSHION MUMS

5 plants, 1 each of above 5 varieties - - - - - for **\$2.75**
(Regular value \$3.40)

10 plants, 2 each of above 5 varieties - - - - - for **\$5.35**
(Regular value \$6.80)



BLEEDING-HEART (*Dicentra spectabilis*)
3 for \$2.50

DICENTRA · Bleeding-Heart

Eximia. Wild Bleeding-Heart. Fine, fern-like foliage and slender racemes of small pink flowers almost all season. 1 ft. May to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Spectabilis. The fine old favorite Bleeding-Heart, grown and admired through the years for its unusual flower display in May and June. 3 for \$2.50; 10 for \$8.50.

Sweetheart. White Fringed Bleeding-Heart. A recent introduction that will be found very suitable for shaded gardens, having graceful, pure white, suspended blooms from late spring to frost. 3 for \$2.25; 10 for \$6.50.

DICTAMNUS · Gas-Plant

The Gas-Plant is a very interesting subject; not only are the flowers attractive, but also its seed pods and foliage. When fully established it is a strong grower and requires only a moderately rich soil, in either an open sunny or partially shaded location.

Fraxinella. The white flowers sometimes emit a vapor that is inflammable and instantly aromatic. 2 to 3 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.



ECHINOPS humilis, Taplow Blue. 3 for \$2.25

DORONICUM · Leopards-Bane

Caucasicum. Yellow marguerite flowers, 2½ to 3 inches across, on 18-inch stems. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Magnificum excelsum. Very attractive, large yellow flowers on stiff stems. Most useful for cutting. 2 ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

ECHINOPS · Globe Thistle

Humilis, Taplow Blue. A very showy, tall-growing plant having globular heads of soft metallic blue flowers. Fine for cutting and drying for winter bouquets. Plant in part shade or sun at the back of the border. 2½ to 3 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$2.25; 10 for \$6.50.

EPIMEDIUM · Barrenwort

As ground-covers, for edging or in the rockery, Epimediums are delightful. In May and June the plants, growing about 9 inches high and wide, are a mass of delicate, lovely flowers. Their light green, heart-shaped foliage is leathery in texture and most attractive. They grow well in shade, better in partial shade, and will also tolerate full sunlight.

Alpinum rubrum. A lovely little dwarf plant having masses of red flowers in May and June.

Macranthum niveum. In May and June it is a perfect sheet of white flowers offset by handsome foliage. Worthy of a place in every garden.

Macranthum violaceum. Same habits as above variety but lilac flowers.

Pinnatum elegans. Bright yellow flowers.

★Foliage rich bronze in fall. 9 in. June to Aug.

All Epimediums: 3 of one variety for \$2.00; 10 of one variety for \$5.50.

ERYNGIUM · Sea-Holly

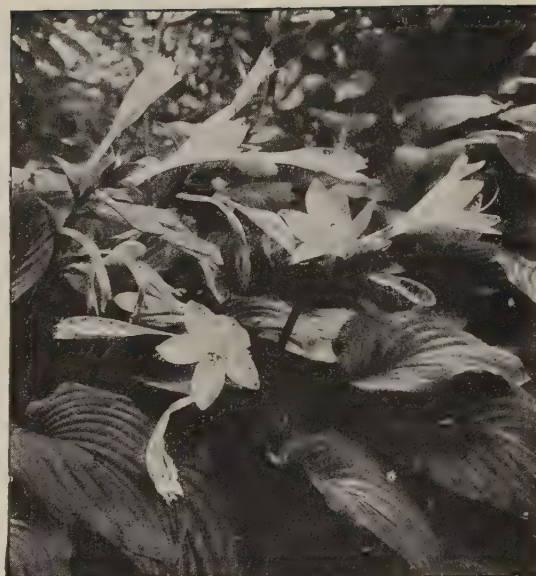
Amethystinum. Unusual steel-blue, globular flowers against a background of most unusual foliage, as indicated by the common name. 2 ft. July, Aug. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

EUPATORIUM

Hardy Ageratum

Coelestinum. Mist Flower. An excellent companion for yellow chrysanthemums. Dark blue flowers from September until frost. Hardy. 2 ft. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Varieties starred (★) are suitable for rock-gardens. Varieties daggered (†) are suitable for cut-flowers.



FUNKIA subcordata grandiflora. 3 for \$2.00



EUPATORIUM coelestinum. 3 for \$1.75



ERYNGIUM amethystinum. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25

FUNKIA (Hosta) Plantain-Lily

A very useful plant thriving in almost any position, sun or shade. All varieties except *Undulata variegata* (which requires sun for its foliage coloration) will do well on the north side of buildings, in beds, used as edging, or interplanted with hardy ferns. The foliage is attractive, as well as the flowers, which are freely produced in August. All listed plants grow 1 to 1½ ft.

Fortunei. Deep blue-green foliage. Pale lilac flowers.

Minor alba. A fine edging plant having white flowers in July and August. An excellent perennial, being very floriferous and more dainty in appearance than the older Funkias.

Subcordata grandiflora. Large, pure white flowers and bold foliage make this a very attractive variety. Very fragrant. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

Undulata variegata. Leaves widely edged and striped white. Lavender flowers. Prefers sunny location, and will be found excellent for edging.

All Funkia: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 of one variety for \$4.50, except where noted

FERNS

A shady position, usually on the north side of the building, that may be useless for the cultivation of other plants, is easily transformed into a hardy fernery. These graceful plants are of easy culture, especially if a liberal amount of leaf-mold or good earth from the woods is available. The low-growing varieties are suitable for rock-gardens.

Christmas Fern. An evergreen species with shining dark green leaves. 1 ft.

Goldie Fern (*Dryopteris Goldiana*). Tallest and largest of our wood ferns. 2 to 3 ft. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

Hay-scented Fern (*Dennstaedtia punctilobula*). Grows in open sun as well as in shade. 1 to 1½ ft.

Lady Fern (*Athyrium Filix-femina*). Deeply cut, very bright green leaves. 2 to 3 ft.

Leatherwood Fern (*Dryopteris marginalis*). Evergreen, attractive and vigorous grower. 1 to 1½ ft.

Royal Fern (*Osmunda regalis*). Also a strong, tall species that thrives in shady or sunny location. 2 to 4 ft.

All Ferns: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50, except where noted

SPECIAL OFFER HARDY FERNS

6 plants, 1 each of the above 6 varieties - - - - - **\$3.00**
(Regular value \$3.77)



GEUM, Lady Stratheden (left) and Mrs. Bradshaw (right). 3 for \$1.50

GAILLARDIA · Blanket Flower

Portola Hybrids. Flowers are brilliant coppery scarlet, with petals margined golden yellow. A vigorous grower. Fine for cutting. 1½ to 2 ft. June until frost. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

GENTIANA

Gentians are easily grown and bloom profusely. They prefer some shade and a rich sandy loam to be at their best.

Gracilipes. A native of China, growing 6 inches high and sending out from a central rosette, four or five flowering stems which bear deep purplish blue flowers. July, Aug.

Lagodechiana. Native of East Caucasus. Prostrate in habit. Slender stems about 12 inches in height, bearing wide-lobed blossoms of deepest indigo. Late June, July.

Purdomi. Native of Tibet. Prostrate stems. Large, upturned, violet-blue starry trumpets. All Gentian admirers will want this one for its prostrate habit. July, Aug.

Septemfida. Crested Gentian. A native species of the Caucasus, growing 9 to 12 inches high and bearing erect heads of blue flowers with white centers. July, Aug.

All Gentians: \$1.00 each; 3 of one variety for \$2.50

GEUM · Avens

Valuable for the sparkling brilliance of their outstanding orange and scarlet colors. Free-flowering, hardy plants that bloom intermittently. They will grow in full sunlight or partial shade in any good garden soil.

Lady Stratheden. Large, double; rich yellow. ½ ft. June to Sept.

Mrs. Bradshaw. Rich orange-colored flowers on sturdy plants. June to Sept.

All Geums: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 of one variety for \$4.50

GRASSES

Festuca glauca. A pretty dwarf Grass with tufts of fine bluish green foliage. 1 ft. 3 for \$2.00.

Pennisetum japonicum. A splendid Grass grown for its rich mahogany flowers tipped white, and graceful foliage. 3 ft. 3 for \$2.00.

GYPSOPHILA · Babys-Breath

The masses of tiny flowers make excellent filler material for bouquets, in contrast to larger blooms.

Bristol Fairy. Double white flowers that are very useful in cut-flower arrangements. Very hardy and long lived. 2 to 3 ft. June to Sept. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Paniculata, Flamingo. A fine new introduction of pink Gypsophila with large double flowers. It is of the Bristol Fairy type and a splendid cut-flower. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Repens Bodgeri. Large double white flowers tinted pink. Compact growth. 1½ to 2 ft. June to Sept. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Repens, Rosy Veil. Attractive double pink flowers, good for cutting. Blue-green foliage. 2 ft. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Arranging Perennials

Arranging perennial flowers in numerous combinations is a lot of fun. Don't worry about all the rules and mathematics of modern floral arrangement . . . just use your own imagination. Have you ever tried Gypsophila as a filler with Gaillardia, Daylilies, Helenium, Lythrum, Eupatorium?



GAILLARDIA, Portola Hybrids. 3 for \$1.50



GYPSOPHILA repens Bodgeri. 3 for \$1.75



GENTIANA IN BLOOM



HELIOPSIS in bloom

HELENIUM

This hardy family of perennials blooms in late summer. The daisy-like flowers are borne in great profusion on bushy, shrub-like plants varying from 3 to 5 feet in height. Very effective for late summer bloom and excellent for cutting. A sunny location and good average garden soil is their only requirement.

Chippersfield Orange. A tall, bushy-growing variety having gold and copper flowers on every branch. Very showy. 4 ft. Aug., Sept.

Garden Sun (Gartensonne). Brilliant golden yellow with velvety brown center. 4 ft.

Peregrinum. A most attractive plant growing to a height of 5 feet and bearing an unusual quantity of reddish bronze flowers in September. For the late summer border; fine also for cutting.

All Helenium: 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 10 of one variety for \$5.25

HELIANTHEMUM • Sunrose

These delightful low-spreading plants are indispensable in the rock-garden or on steep banks, where they form a mat of foliage and furnish a good quantity of bloom from July to September. 8 to 10 in.

★**Buttercup.** Single; golden yellow.

Fireball. Brilliant flaming orange.

Rhodanthum carneum. Pale pink flowers with silvery foliage.

All Helianthemum: 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 10 of one variety for \$5.25

HELIANTHUS • Sunflower

Loddon Gold. Large, bright yellow flowers 5 to 5 inches in diameter. 4 to 5 ft. Sept., Oct. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

HELIOPSIS

Scabra, Gold-Greenheart. New. One of the finest Heliopsis from the standpoint of display and hardiness. Full double, buttercup-yellow flowers, having a greenish center when first opening, changing to a complete yellow when fully open. 3 to 4 ft. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Scabra gigantea. Large, cup-shaped flowers having a double row of golden-yellow florets. Tall growing. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Scabra incomparabilis. This variety is a very fine border perennial. The flowers are a rich golden yellow, nearly double and over 3 inches in diameter. July to autumn. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

HEATH • Erica

Stricta. Corsican Heath. A compact, erect grower with pink flowers from July to September. 1 to 2 ft.

HEATHER • Calluna vulgaris

Elata alba. Tall White Heather. A very straight grower having soft deep green foliage and white flowers. 1½ to 2 ft.

Hirsuta. Woolly Heather. Midseason. Low, compact growth. Foliage soft gray; flowers white. 4 to 7 in.

Rubra. A red-flowering variety. 1 ft. July.

Vulgaris. A dense-growing shrub with pretty, bell-shaped flowers of rosy lavender in great profusion toward the top of the plants. 1 to 1½ ft. July to Oct.

All Erica and Calluna: 75 cts. each

Special Offer

4 HEATHERS, 1 each of above varieties FOR \$2.55
(Regular value \$3.00)



HELENIUM peregrinum. 3 for \$1.75



HELIANTHUS, Loddon Gold. 3 for \$1.75

HELLEBORUS ATRORUBENS

This is truly a different Christmas Rose. Its habit and extreme hardiness are the same as the variety commonly known, but its flower is a deep shade of burgundy. When in bloom with snow on the ground it is a lovely sight. Nov. to Jan. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$7.00.

HEMEROCALLIS • Daylily

Lily-like plants with grass-like leaves and yellow and orange flowers. They are all easy growers and do well in partial shade.

Early-flowering Varieties

†**Dumortieri.** Orange-yellow. 2 ft. May, June.

†**Flava Major.** Lemon-yellow; fragrant. 3 ft. May.

Florham. Golden yellow, trumpet-shaped flowers marked darker yellow. June, July.

Late-flowering Varieties

†**Fulva.** Orange. 2 to 3 ft. July, Aug.

†**Margaret Perry.** Orange-scarlet. 4 ft.

†**Thunbergi.** Pale yellow. 2 to 3 ft. July.

All Hemerocallis: 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 10 of one variety for \$5.25.

Special Offer

HEMEROCALLIS

6 plants, 1 each of above 6 varieties FOR \$3.25
(Regular value \$4.08)

HERBS

The Perennial Herbs are easy to grow and can be readily established in a small space, for the housewife to use in her culinary art.

Chives. The fine leaves are used for flavoring cottage cheese, salads, etc.

Lavender. The leaves and flowers have a delightful perfume. Sachets are made with the dried flowers.

Marjoram. Leaves and shoots are used for seasoning and are also dried for winter use.

Mint. The leaves and stems are used for flavoring and as a garnish for summer beverages.

Apple mint Peppermint
Pineapple Mint Spearmint

Sage. Leaves and tops are used commonly in the seasoning of meats.

Sweet Woodruff (Asperula odorata). A fragrant herb with white flowers. Spreads rapidly. Excellent for rockeries. When dried, used in flavoring wines. 6 to 8 in. May, June.

Tarragon. The leaves, either fresh or dried, are used for flavoring soups, pickles and vinegar. The finely chopped fresh leaves are used in salads.

Thyme (Thymus vulgaris). Leaves, either fresh or dried, used for seasoning. This is also a good edging plant for the garden.

All Herbs: 3 of one variety for \$1.50; 10 of one variety for \$4.50

HEUCHERA • Coral-Bells

Freedom. Produces long sprays of dainty light rose bells.

Perry's White. Large, pure white bells. May to Sept.

Red Pimpernel. A scarce and outstanding variety having very bright scarlet flowers. 1 to 1½ ft. June to Sept.

All Heucheras: 3 of one variety for \$2.00; 10 of one variety for \$5.50



DAYLILY (Hemerocallis). 3 for \$1.75



IBERIS sempervirens. 3 for \$1.50



HEUCHERAS. 3 for \$2.00

HIBISCUS · Marsh Mallow or Mallow Marvels

Giant-flowered. The mammoth, hollyhock-shaped flowers range in color from white to pink to crimson. They are very easily grown in all types of soil and like plenty of moisture. Provide a 6-inch covering of leaves when planting in the fall. Offered in assorted colors. Extra-strong. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Red, White, Pink. Separate colors. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Bobbink & Atkins has hundreds of other perennial items for planting in shade, sun, partial shade, etc., which are not listed in this catalog. Many, of course, are not for planting in the spring and therefore do not appear now but will be shown in our Fall Folder this coming September.

IBERIS · Candytuft

Sempervirens. Evergreen Candytuft. Splendid rock and edging plant. 10 in. April, May. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Sempervirens, Little Gem. A compact, globular plant covered with snow-white flowers. 6 in. April, May. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Sempervirens, Snowflake. Large green cushions bearing an abundance of large, pure white flowers. 10 in. April, May. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

JAPANESE IRIS

Iris Kaempferi

"The Hardy Garden Orchid"

These summer-blooming Iris are among the most important of the hardy perennials. In beauty, form, and color they rival or even surpass the orchid.

They grow splendidly in a sunny position in any ordinary good garden soil that may be watered heavily near blooming time, and are especially effective planted at the edge of a pool or along a stream.

NOTE: All varieties have a pronounced gold streak toward the base of the petals.

Apollo. White petals, veined purple, with orchid stigmas. 3 petals.

Azure. Wavy petals; mauve-blue, slightly darker toward center. 6 petals.

Conardi. French gray, red-violet center; pronounced blue veining. 3 petals.

Dinah. Reddish purple, flaked white. 6 petals.

Gold Bound. Large, pure white, most conspicuous gold streak. 6 petals.

Hyde Park. Reddish purple, blushed with white. 6 petals.

Orion. Red-violet, veined white; white stigmas. 6 large petals.

Peace. Purple, yellow blotches tipped blue. 6 petals.

Pyramid. Violet-blue, center of petals veined white. 6 petals.

Princess Clothilde. Porcelain-blue on a fash-gray background. 6 petals.

Red Riding Hood. Beautiful red-violet, veined and suffused white. 3 petals.

Rosanne. Light purple with heavy purple veins; stigmas dark plum color. Excellent. 6 petals.

All Japanese Iris: 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 10 of one variety for \$5.25

SPECIAL OFFER JAPANESE IRIS

6 plants, 1 each of 6 varieties (our selection) - - - FOR **\$3.25**
(Regular value \$4.08)

12 plants, 2 each of 6 varieties (our selection) - - - FOR **\$6.25**
(Regular value \$8.16)

LEONTOPODIUM

Alpinum. Edelweiss; Bridal Flower of the Alps. A choice, hardy rock-plant. The leaves are silvery gray and lie almost flat on the ground. From the center grows a flower stem which has three or four star-like, white woolly flowers. Prefers light soil and will grow in rock crevices. Swiss folk have been known to risk their lives and climb precipitous Alpine passages in order to gather but one or two of their treasured Edelweiss, about which so much Swiss sentiment is woven. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

LIATRIS Gayfeather

The sturdy, long stems or spikes of Liatris are excellent for cutting. It is one of the hardiest and most easily grown of all true perennials.

Scariosa alba. New. The snowy white spikes create a most striking effect in the border for several weeks during mid-summer. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

Scariosa, September Glory. Lovely purple flowers produced during late August and September. Fine companion for *L. scariosa alba*. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Kindly refer to page 39 for Fall Planting Items which will be offered in our Fall Planting Supplement available in September



LIATRIS. September Glory 3 for \$1.75

LINUM

Perenne. A lovely plant with blue flowers that open only in sunshine. 1½ ft. May to Aug. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

LITHOSPERMUM

Heavenly Blue. Vivid gentian-blue flowers and prostrate evergreen foliage. Forms a dense mat; flowers are about 3 inches high. Blooms all summer. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.



JAPANESE IRIS (Iris Kaempferi). 3 for \$1.75

Phlox

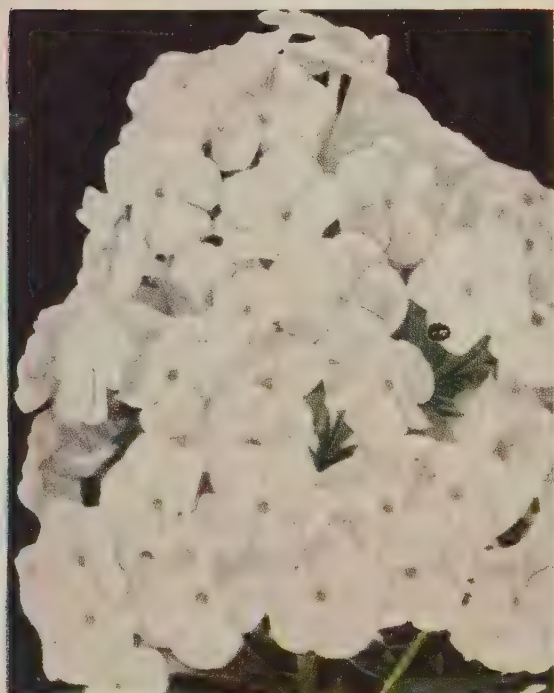
For a brilliant, bold color effect in mass during the late summer and autumn, the Hardy Phlox (decussata types) are indispensable. Without them it would be difficult to maintain the display of color during July and August when sometimes there is little else in bloom in the perennial border. The low-growing or trailing subulata and certain species of Phlox blooming

in April, May and June may be considered a preview to the taller and more showy Phlox to come in later summer.

Simple of culture, they require only a fairly rich soil and water. The removal of flower-heads after blooms are faded will encourage new flowers from side shoots to lengthen the blooming period.



SPITFIRE. 3 for \$1.75



MARY LOUISE. 3 for \$1.75



PROGRESS. 3 for \$1.75

PHLOX DECUSSATA

B. Comte. Tall-growing variety producing large heads of rich satiny red turning to amaranth. Very brilliant. Looks well planted close to a yellow-flowered plant.

Caroline Vandenberg. Very showy lavender-blue flowers. A free bloomer of medium height.

Daily Sketch. The finest pink Phlox. Remarkable for its enormous florets and huge trusses of lovely pink with a deeper eye.

Eva Foerster. Very large flowers and trusses of bright salmon-rose with white eye.

Flash. Gorgeous new variety. Carmine-crimson flowers with orange-scarlet center. Blooms freely; medium height.

Mary Louise. Glistening, waxy white flowers in extra-large heads. Prolific blooms with good foliage. One of the better whites.

Mies Copyn. Large florets of pure pink, with darker eye. Different than any other pink Phlox.

Progress. Easily the most popular lavender-blue Phlox with purple-blue eyes. Very large, shapely florets borne on big, symmetrical trusses which are carried on sturdy stems.

Spitfire. Fiery reddish orange. A very robust grower; the flowers last for weeks and do not fade during hot weather. The graceful branching habit of the panicles is also a distinguishing characteristic.

All above Phlox: 3 for \$1.75; 6 for \$3.25
(3 or 6 of one variety)

SPECIAL OFFER HARDY GARDEN PHLOX

12 plants, 2 each of 6 named varieties - - - - - FOR \$6.25
(Our selection of blended colors)
(Regular value \$8.16)

Varieties starred (★) for rock-gardens.
Varieties daggered (†) for cut-flowers.

PHLOX SPECIES

Divaricata. Large, fragrant, lavender flowers ★ on stems 10 inches high. This Phlox with bleeding-heart and *Alyssum saxatile* makes a fine display. Also makes an excellent ground-cover. May, June.

Ovata. Bright rosy red flowers. 1-ft. stems. ★ June, July.

Suffruticosa, Miss Lingard. Pure white, † with pale pink centers. 2 ft. May to Oct.

Suffruticosa, Miss Verboom. Rose-pink flowers in early June. A splendid companion for Miss Lingard. 2 ft.

All Phlox Species: 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 6 of one variety for \$3.25

PRICES

All Perennials are more attractive when planted in groups of at least three or more of one variety. We suggest this be considered when ordering and planting. Our prices are made accordingly. Perennials are sold in units of three or more unless an each price is quoted.

SIR JOHN FALSTAFF

New giant-flowered Phlox and one of the best and most spectacular varieties to date. In our opinion, it is far superior to all others and will undoubtedly remain the outstanding variety of its color for many years to come. In color it is a rich glowing salmon-pink. The individual florets are about the size of a half dollar; the flower truss is really immense. The growth of Sir John Falstaff is excellent and it is of great vigor, with sturdy stems and beautiful foliage. Truly a well-named variety. Grows 24 to 30 inches high, depending on location and soil conditions. It is a "must" for all those who like the brilliance and splendor of the Phlox family. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.



SIR JOHN FALSTAFF. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50



LYTHRUM, Morden's Pink. 3 for \$2.00

LYTHRUM

Morden's Pink. A most ornamental border plant of bushy, compact habit. Flowers clear pink. 3 to 4 ft. July to frost. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

MONARDA

Didyma, Cambridge Scarlet. Bee-Balm. Compact scarlet flower-heads attractive to bees. An old, reliable perennial that improves with age. 3 ft. June, Aug. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Didyma, Croftway Pink. A very fine mass of clear pink flowers during the off season of July and August. Grows well in semi-shade or sun, moist or dry places. Excellent for city gardens. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

NEPETA

Mussini. Ground Ivy. Springy mat of soft velvety gray-green, with mauve flowers. 8 in. April and June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

NIEREMBERGIA

Rivularis. White-Cup. An excellent dwarf, creeping alpine plant, with cup-shaped, creamy white flowers. 8 in. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

PACHYSANDRA • Japanese Spurge

Terminalis. Most useful for planting in dense shade where few other plants will grow or for bordering walks and drives. The glossy foliage remains green winter and summer. Its inconspicuous greenish white flowers are produced in May and June. 6 to 9 in. Our pot-grown plants are incomparably superior to the field-grown ones usually offered. Not prepaid. Offered Express Collect Only: 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$6.25; 100 for \$20.00.

PENSTEMON • Beard-Tongue

Barbatus, Rose Elf. Should be in every garden. Clear rose-colored flowers from June until August. Quite different from the common Penstemon and a great improvement. 24 to 36 in. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

Barbatus Torreyi. Tall spikes of brilliant scarlet flowers. A most charming border plant. 4 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.



PRIMULA Juliae, Wanda. 3 for \$2.00

PHYSALIS

Bunyardi. Chinese Lantern-Plant. Extensively used for the lantern-like fruits. This variety has glowing red pods and is better and more showy than the older *P. Francheti*. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

PHYSOSTEGIA False Dragonhead

Perfectly hardy and very easy to grow in practically all locations. Physostegias are indispensable for August and September color in the garden and home.

Rosy Spire. The showy spikes of deep rosy crimson blooms are fine for cutting. Blooms in mid-September. 3½ ft.

Virginiana grandiflora, Vivid. Remains dwarf and stays within bounds, giving a grand display of large rose-pink spikes in August and September. Excellent for groups in a front border and for cutting.

All Physostegias: 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 10 of one variety for \$5.25

PLATYCODON Balloon-Flower

Free-flowering plants of erect habit with balloon-shaped buds and star-shaped flowers. Very beautiful. 2 ft. June, July.

Grandiflorum. Deep blue. Strong branching habit. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

PLUMBAGO • Leadwort

Larpentae. Blue Leadwort. Deep blue flowers completely cover the compact plant. This is the plant to use where a broad sweep or expanse of blue is needed in rock-garden work. 6 to 12 in. Aug. Sept. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25; 25 for \$11.50.

POLYGONUM

Compactum roseum. Dwarf Fleece Flower. An unusual and different type of hardy dwarf plant which does exceedingly well in full sun. Height ranges from 6 to 15 inches. In late summer it produces light airy sprays of pinkish red flowers which hold until quite late in the season. Foliage pale green, which blends well with the blossoms. Excellent for the prevention of erosion as a ground-cover. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

POTENTILLA • Cinquefoil

Attractive plants for the border or rockery, producing brilliant flowers from June to August, with strawberry-like foliage.

Tridentata. A shrubby little plant that makes a good ground-cover. Fine for dry banks. Leathery foliage; small white flowers. 9 to 12 in. June to Aug. 3-in. pots. 10 for \$3.00; 25 for \$6.75; 100 for \$22.00.

Wm. Rollison. A fine, unusual rare hybrid. Considered one of the finest Potentillas, having semi-double, dark orange flowers with yellow centers. 1 to 1½ ft. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.



PRIMULA veris, Kleyni. 3 for \$2.50

PRIMULA • Primrose

Primulas in their varied forms and colors are among the earliest of spring flowers. They are ideal for shady spots in the rock-garden or in the shade of evergreens, trees, and shrubs. They like a rich loam with a liberal quantity of peat moss or leaf mold and need plenty of moisture from April right on through the summer and fall seasons.

Auricula. A lovely alpine variety. Native to the Swiss and Austrian Alps. Requires some shade and good drainage. Blooms from April till June and on occasion again in the fall. Colors vary from yellow to lavender. 4 to 5 in.

Denticulata. This variety was originally brought from the Himalayas. Large, globular heads of heliotrope-blue flowers are close set on strong, stout stems. 12 to 15 in. The earliest Primrose to bloom.

Denticulata alba. A rare form of the above, having snow-white globes of bloom. Same origin and season of flowering. Very striking. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

Denticulata rubra. Origin and habit of growth the same as the above two varieties, but having a rose to rosy red flower.

Juliae, Wanda. A dwarf variety flowering in spring. Deep blue-purple flowers cover the plant for weeks.

Polyantha. An old favorite with trusses of large flowers in various shades from white through yellow, rose, and carmine to scarlet. 1 ft. April, May. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Veris Kleyni. Rare. A very hardy variety having extra-long, heavy stems, with immense flowers of rich golden yellow shaded apricot. The individual florets are exceptionally large, often measuring 1 inch in diameter. In our opinion this variety is the best of all the yellow varieties. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

All Primulas: 3 of one variety for \$2.00; 10 of one variety for \$5.50, except where noted

SPECIAL OFFER PRIMULA

4—Polyantha
1—Denticulata
1—Auricula
1—Veris Kleyni

7 outstanding varieties as marked.

FOR \$4.25

(Regular value \$5.26)



PRIMULA auricula. 3 for \$2.00



PYRETHRUM roseum. 3 for \$1.50

PYRETHRUM • Painted Daisy

For cut-flower use Pyrethrums are very desirable, for they last longer in water than most other flowers. They begin to bloom in June, and their attractive appearance both indoors and in the garden makes them top favorites. They grow best in a sunny location in good garden soil. Height 18 to 24 inches.

Roseum. These plants include all colors from deep red to various shades of rose to pure white. 2½ ft. May, June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Scarlet Glow. Here we have a very distinctly colored Pyrethrum exactly as the name describes it. Unique and different in the Pyrethrum or Painted Daisy group. A very easy grower and quite winter hardy. Blooms during May and June and attains a height of about 2 feet. Excellent for cutting. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

RUDBECKIA • Coneflower

Purpurea. Purple Coneflower. Large, purple-†red, daisy-like flowers; cone-shaped center. 3 to 4 ft. July to Oct. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

SALVIA • Sage

Nemorosa superba, Improved. Violet Sage. †The flower spikes are a lovely dark violet-blue with a maroon calyx and are carried well above the foliage. They bloom all summer, when blue in the perennial border is always needed. This rare variety has been counted among the best twelve perennials. 2 to 3 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

SANTOLINA

Incana. Lavender-Cotton. Dwarf evergreen ★perennial growing about 1½ feet high. Silvery white foliage. Small yellow flowers in July. Fine for edging. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50; 100 for \$40.00.

SCABIOSA • Pincushion-Flower

Caucasica. Isaac House Strain. A handsome, †hardy plant that should be grown by everyone. Beautiful soft lilac flowers. Vigorous grower. 2 ft. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

SEDUM • Stonecrop

This interesting and useful family of plants in general has thick glaucous leaves. They are very hardy and remarkably drought resistant. They are fine for edging or the herbaceous border. Good in either sun or semi-shade.

Sieboldi. The miniature of Spectabile and by ★far the most useful and interesting of all sedum. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

Spectabile, Brilliant. A deep rosy crimson ★variation of the above. 1 ft. Aug., Sept. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Varieties starred (★) for rock-gardens.
Varieties daggered (†) for cut-flowers

SPIRAEA

Ulmaria plena. Double creamy white, feathery †flowers on 3-foot stems. Long-lasting cut-flowers. Early summer. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Venusta magnifica. Martha Washington †**Plume.** One of the most beautiful of all herbaceous Spireas—a new and superior form of *S. venusta* for the border, not bothered with mildew, and growing 3 to 4 feet high in ordinary garden soil. Flowers deep rose, much larger than the common Venusta. Extremely hardy in cold climates and does well in full sun or partial shade; plant about 1½ feet apart each way. This variety is well named, as Venusta means “resembling the goddess Venus.” 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

STOKESIA

Cyanea superba. A greatly improved Corn-†flower Aster with the finest sky-blue flowers averaging 3 to 4 inches across. It is easy to grow and therefore is especially valuable when good blue flowers in the border are scarce. Beginning to bloom in July, it continues throughout summer until early October. Very hardy and free of all pests. 75 cts. each; 3 for \$2.00.

TEUCRIUM • Germander

Chamædrys. Compact bushes with small, †spiny, dark green leaves surmounted by spikes of lavender-pink. Practically evergreen, it may be clipped to any desired height. 1 ft. July, Aug. 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$7.50; 100 for \$25.00.

THALICTRUM • Meadow-Rue

Its dainty, feathery flower-clusters and finely cut foliage make this an elegant perennial for border backgrounds or cut-flowers. Requires a well-drained soil but will grow in sun or shade.

Aquilegifolium purpureum. Soft purplish †lavender flowers. 2 to 3 ft. June. 3 for \$1.50; 10 for \$4.50.

Glaucum. Leaves resemble those of the †maidenhair fern; greenish yellow flowers. 2 to 3 ft. June, July. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

THYMUS

Serpyllum coccineum. Dark green foliage. ★Bright red flowers. 3 to 5 in. June, July. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

Serpyllum lanuginosum. Woolly-leaved ★**Thyme.** Quick-spreading plant, effective for rockeries; flowers reddish pink. 5 in. June to Aug. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

TRITOMA • Torch-Lily

Hybrids, Assorted Colors. The predominating †colors are a blending of orange-scarlet and suffused tones of yellow. Somewhat harder than *T. Pfitzeri*. The strain we have is developed from *T. mirabilis*. 3 for \$1.75; 10 for \$5.25.

NEW AND IMPROVED TRITOMA HYBRIDS

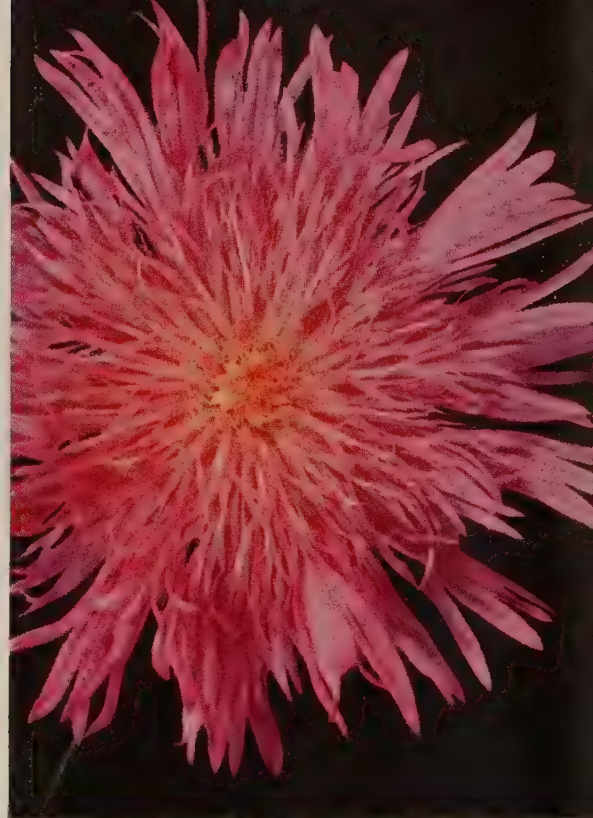
Bright shades of yellow and orange not heretofore produced in the Tritoma family. They also cover a wider bloom season than the older varieties.

Goldmine. Coppery gold spikes 2½ feet high. †Flowers freely from August to October.

Robustus. A very heavy flower spike of yellow †with red tip. Very floriferous.

Vanilla. Dwarf, free-flowering, clear pale yellow. Produces numerous 2-foot spikes and has grass-like foliage. June.

All Tritoma Hybrids: 3 of one variety for \$2.00; 10 of one variety for \$5.50



STOKESIA cyanea superba. 3 for \$2.00

VERONICA • Speedwell

Blue Spire. Deep rich blue spikes on a bushy †plant with an extremely long flowering period. 2 ft.

Incana. Silvery gray foliage; spikes of violet-blue. ★1 ft. July, Aug.

Incana rosea. The true pink variety of *V. incana*. 1 ft. July, Aug.

Longifolia subsessilis. Very attractive blue †flowers. Continues to bloom until late fall. 2 ft. Aug., Sept.

Rupestris. A fine trailing plant for the rocky ★or slope. Makes a carpet of leaves; brilliant blue flowers. May.

Rupestris alba. Same as above, but white ★flowers.

All Veronicas: 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 10 of one variety for \$5.25

VINCA • Periwinkle

A highly recommended evergreen trailer that is fine for covering graves, terraces, banks, alongside walks, or in the foreground of foundation plantings. All Vincas in 3-inch pots. Not Prepaid. Offered Express Collect only.

Minor. Lilac-blue flower. 3 in. April, May. ★10 for \$3.25; 25 for \$6.75; 100 for \$22.00.

Minor alba. A fine white form of the above. ★May. 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$7.25.

Minor, Bowles' Variety. This is an improvement over the old *V. minor*, having richer foliage and larger, deeper blue flowers. It blooms profusely in early spring and again in the fall. 3 in. April, Oct. 10 for \$3.50; 25 for \$7.25; 100 for \$25.00.

VINCA minor. Luxuriant foliage and flowers again in autumn. 10 for \$3.25



VIOLETS

Viola odorata

A cool, damp, shady place suits Violets best. Here they will bloom freely and come back year after year.

Gov. Herrick. Large; clear blue. 3 to 6 in. Apr. ★ to June.

La France. Single flowers of rich violet-blue.

Pilkington. A new dark purple with stems of ★ good length.

Rosina. An outstanding gem for the rock-★ garden or along the garden path. The sweet fragrance is very noticeable. Covered with old-rose-colored flowers in the spring and again in the fall as the weather turns cooler. Very vigorous. 6 in. April to Oct. 3 for \$2.00; 10 for \$5.50.

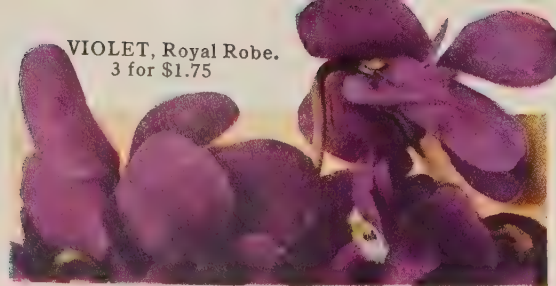
Royal Robe. The blossoms are fragrant and ★ open out flat like a pansy or viola.

Snow Queen. White with a small inconspicuous ★ lavender heart.

All Violets: 3 of one variety for \$1.75; 10 of one variety for \$5.25, except where noted

YUCCA · Adams Needle

Filamentosa. One or two of these plants in the border will be most effective. The immense, pyramidal clusters of creamy flowers on spikes 4 to 6 feet tall are outstanding. The foliage is evergreen. 85 cts. each; 3 for \$1.75.



SCABIOSA caucasica, Isaac House Strain.
3 for \$1.75

GROUND-COVER RECOMMENDATIONS

Hedera Helix. Finest evergreen ground-cover for deep shade. See page 44.

Lonicera Halliana. For slopes that wash and where grass cannot get rooted. Sun. See page 44.

Pachysandra. For shaded locations and under trees where grass fails. Excellent for an edging in front of foundation plantings Sun, partial shade or heavy shade. See page 37.

Potentilla. Fine for holding dry banks. See page 37.

Vinca. Shade and half shade under trees. See page 38.

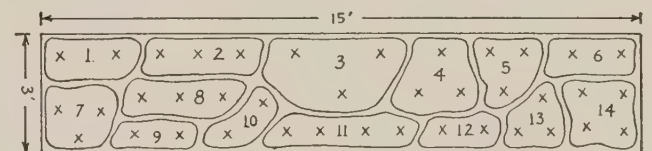
FALL PLANTING ITEMS

We recommend FALL planting for the following plants, which will be listed in our SPECIAL FALL SUPPLEMENT available in September.

BE SURE YOUR NAME IS ON FILE FOR YOUR COPY

Aconitum (Monkshood)
Anthericum (St. Bruno's Lily)
Convallaria (Lily-of-the-Valley)
Cimicifuga (Bugbane)
Cypripedium (Lady-Slipper)
Iris germanica (Bearded Iris)
Mertensia (Virginia Bluebells)
Peonies
Poppies

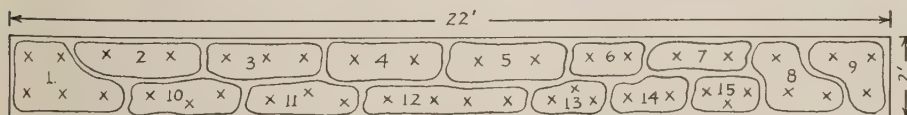
LARGE ALL-SEASON SUNNY PERENNIAL BORDER



Key	Quantity	Variety
1	2	Helenium
2	3	Tall Asters, Blue
3	3	Hibiscus
4	3	Eryngium amethystinum
5	3	Hemerocallis
6	2	Lythrum, Dropmore
7	3	Eupatorium coelestinum
8	3	Tritoma mirabilis
9	3	Campanula persicifolia alba
10	2	Delphinium, Lamartine
11	4	Heuchera, Perry's White
12	2	Astilbe, Pink
13	3	Veronica, Blue Spire
14	4	Phlox, Large White

40 plants for \$18.75 (Regular value \$23.80)

PERENNIAL BORDER FOR HALF SHADE



Key	Quantity	Name
1	5	Veronica rupestris
2	2	Hardy Tall Ferns
3	3	Funkia minor alba
4	2	Hemerocallis
5	2	Eupatorium coelestinum
6	2	Gaillardia, Portola
7	2	Funkia Fortunei
8	3	Polygonum compactum roseum
9	3	Epimedium alpinum rubrum
10	3	Viola odorata
11	3	Aster, Dwarf Blue
12	4	Epimedium niveum
13	3	Nierembergia rivularis
14	2	Anchusa myosotidiflora
15	3	Primula Auricula

We reserve the privilege of substituting varieties of perennials in the borders when certain kinds may become temporarily exhausted. Naturally, we'll select a variety of similar color and habit to give the same general effect in the border arrangement.

42 plants for \$19.75 (Regular value \$25.71)

Hardy Evergreen Azaleas

FOR garden usefulness there is, in our opinion, no plant to equal the hardy evergreen Azalea, especially when planted among other broad-leaved evergreens such as rhododendrons, kalmia, ilex, andromeda and also coniferous types, which naturally protect them.

During the month of September, especially in a wet season when these plants are making a second growth and setting buds for the following year, their branches are full of sap. They should then be protected with a 2 or 3-inch mulch of peat moss or humus, to be followed later with a ground-cover of hardwood leaves (not maple).

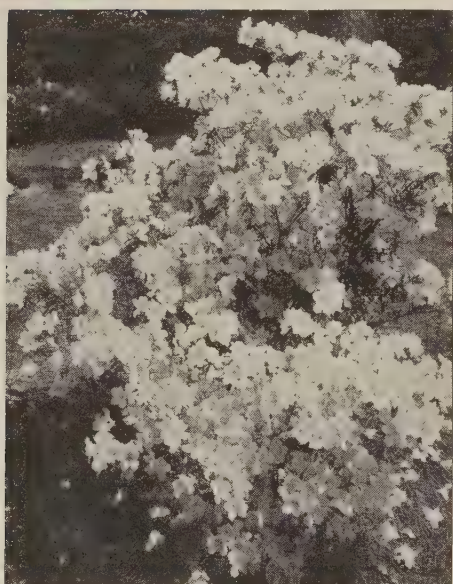
They cannot endure lime or lime soil, and require plenty of moisture and good drainage.

(T) Tall grower; (C) Compact grower.

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Painstaking Packing



AZALEA
BENIGIRI



AZALEA MAXWELLI ALBA

AZALEA, CORAL BEAUTY

As the name implies, this variety is a beauty. It has all the qualities expected in a free-flowering Azalea—good foliage, compactness and lovely color. The flower is a striking shade of deep coral. Individual flowers are semi-double and cup-shaped. 12 to 15 in., \$5.00 each

AZALEA, HINO-CRIMSON

A much improved Hinodegiri. Dark green foliage; compact habit. Flowers are unfading vivid crimson. 12 to 15 in., \$5.00 each.

The above varieties are not included in
SPECIAL OFFER

AZALEA HINODEGIRI



AZALEA ROSAEFLORA

AZALEA ROSAEFLORA

This dwarf-growing, beautiful azalea is truly a collector's item. It is comparatively rare but not new. Very slow growing and compact in habit. Its double, light salmon-orange flowers are nestled in the foliage, which increases its compactness. As an unusual plant for rock-gardens, pools, etc., we highly endorse this scarce variety. 6 to 8 in., \$3.00 each.

Not included in special offers.



FLAME AZALEA

KEY TO AZALEA SIZES AND PRICES:

	each
A— 6 to 8 in.	\$1.75
B— 8 to 10 in.	\$2.25
C— 10 to 12 in.	\$3.50
D— 12 to 15 in.	\$4.75

AZALEA, MRS. L. C. FISCHER



Amberglow. (C) As the name implies, a very lovely double, deep rose-colored flower overlaid with salmon. Good foliage. A, B.

Amœna. (C) Bright rosy purple flowers in May, covering the entire bush. Grows as broad as high. B, C.

Amœna Superba. (T) Beautiful double, 'deep rosy cerise flowers in May. Pretty dark glossy leaves. A, B, C, D.

Benigiri. (T) Flowers deep bright red, almost scarlet. Clean upright habit; rapid grower. A, B, C.

Chippewa. (C) A very fine June-flowering variety. Single flowers of deep rosy carmine with light maroon. Good glossy foliage. Free flowering. A, B.

Crimson King. (C) Large trusses of light crimson flowers with a salmon cast. Very showy and attractive. A, D.

Daybreak. (T) Pure light pink flowers in dense clusters. Very free flowering; excellent foliage. A, B, C, D.

Flame. (T) Medium-sized brilliant madder-red flowers with coppery suffusion in May. Good foliage. A, B, C, D.

Hinodegiri. (C) Unquestionably the most popular of the scarlet types. Its brilliancy and beauty when in flower is never forgotten. Considered reasonably hardy. Rounded foliage throughout the year. Its bright scarlet flowers completely hide the foliage. A, B, C, D.

Jubilee. (C) Our own introduction. A Mac-rantha hybrid with spreading habit. Single, watermelon-pink flowers appear in early June. A, B.

June Dawn. (C) Probably the richest and deepest color of all June-flowering Azaleas. Its large, single flowers are a glowing salmon-red, underlaid with deep orange, having slight flakings of carmine. Plants of bushy habit and good foliage. A, B.

Mauve Beauty. (C) As the name implies, a beautiful shade of mauve. A very profuse bloomer. A, B.

Maxwelli alba. (T) There has long been need for a really hardy large-flowered white Azalea like this. Its single, snow-white flowers often measure 2 to 2½ inches across. A fast grower with loose spreading habit. B, C, D.

Mrs. L. C. Fischer. (C) Our own introduction. Plant of medium growth. Semi-double flowers of salmon-pink with pleasing carmine markings. Good foliage. A, B, C, D.

Poukhanensis. (C) Native of southern Korea and desirable in every way. It is reliably hardy even as far north as the upper New England States and has large single flowers of lilac-purple, which emit a mild pleasant fragrance. Forms a low, compact bush. B, C.

Salmon Spray. (C) Our own introduction. The most profuse-blooming Azalea we know. Buds form in multiple sets and flowers cover the plant. Semi-double; coral-salmon. May. A, B.

SPECIAL OFFER

3 PLANTS, 6 to 8 in. (Your selection
of color; our selection of varieties) **\$4.85**
(Regular value \$5.25)

SPECIAL OFFER

5 PLANTS, 8 to 10 in. (your
selection) **\$9.75**
(Regular value \$11.25)

**HYBRID
FRENCH**

Lilacs

**ORDERS FOR DORMANT LILACS RECEIVED AFTER APRIL 10
WILL BE SHIPPED IN FALL**

EXCEPT for the rose, no flower is more closely wrapped up in the esteem and affection of the American people. No plant offers so much for so little—old-time fragrance, wide range of color, profusion of bloom and hardiness.

VARIETIES SELECTED FOR Old-Time Fragrance and Color

Charles Joly. Double; reddish purple. Considered one of the best of the dark reds. Very striking.

Henri Martin. A very lovely semi-double bluish lavender. Individual florets large; panicles often measure 12 inches in length.

Lucie Baltet. A distinct and different Lilac of coppery old-rose. Single.

Mme. C. Perier. Double; white. Very free flowering; strong grower. Always dependable.

President Grevy. Double; light blue. A lovely clear soft delicate blue. Large panicles. Most desirable.

Souv. de Ludwig Spaeth. Single; red. Color a brilliant intense rich purple-red that holds up in the sun. A very profuse bloomer.

Above plants: 1½ to 2 ft., \$2.50 each

NOTE: It should be remembered in connection with the color descriptions of Lilacs that the colors of all Lilacs are soft, and except for the whites, are a blending of colors rather than one pure tone. After transplanting it often requires two seasons or more for Lilacs to again produce their true color.



During the active planting seasons, a visit to our local salesground will prove profitable. Many suitable and slow-growing evergreens, such as all shapes and sizes of Taxus (Yew), not offered for shipment by rail, are on display for local sales and delivery.

NOTE: We also have single white varieties, same size and price.

Special Offer

Any 3 LILACS - - - for \$6.25
(Regular value \$7.50)

Any 6 LILACS - - - for \$11.75
(Regular value \$15.00)



RHODODENDRON · Hybrids

CONTRARY to general belief, these hybrids do not need shade. They are easy to grow but do require an acid soil, free from all traces of lime. The most effective plantings are those in masses combining all colors for contrast and interest. The gorgeous flowers of these beloved broad-leaved evergreens assume shades and tints to fit any color scheme and are suitable for large or small home plantings.

Rhododendron Hybrids are unquestionably among the most magnificent of flowering shrubs. Their broad, leathery foliage has a majestic dignity, which proves most effective during the cold drab months of winter.

America. Fine red.

Amphion. White with red margin.

Catawbiense Alba. Excellent white.

Lee's Dark Purple. Purple.

Roseum Elegans. Good rose.

Roseum Superbum. Pink.

12 to 15 in., \$4.85 each; 15 to 18 in., \$5.75 each

BOULE DE NEIGE. The finest dwarf white Rhododendron in existence. Excellent for specimens or where a low, broad plant is desired. Grows as broad as high. 12 to 15 in., \$5.75 each; 15 to 18 in., \$6.50.

NOT INCLUDED IN SPECIAL OFFER

RHODODENDRON SPECIAL OFFERS

ANY THREE

12 to 15-in. plants from listing
except Boule de Neige. - - **\$12.85**
(Regular value \$14.55)

ANY SIX

12 to 15-in. plants from listing
except Boule de Neige. - - **\$24.85**
(Regular value \$29.10)



Broad-Leaved Evergreen SHRUBS

ALL ITEMS SHOWN ON THIS PAGE MAY BE SELECTED AT OUR SALES GROUNDS IN EAST RUTHERFORD FOR IMMEDIATE PLANTING

A WELL-PLANNED and well-planted garden is one that has year-round beauty. Although flowering plants contribute greatly to the interest of any garden, there is also the pleasing effect to be accomplished by using plants with enduring foliage and shrubs that produce fruits. These are to be found in the Broad-Leaved Evergreens, which thrive in sun or partial shade and are the most suitable for city gardens, foundation plantings, roof gardens, etc.



KALMIA latifolia. Mountain-Laurel. Grows well in partial shade. Plant it with pieris, rhododendron, various hollies and azaleas—all acid-soil plants. 1 to 1½ ft., \$3.75 each; 3 for \$10.50.

PLEASE READ DELIVERY TERMS ON PAGE 13

PIERIS japonica. Japanese Andromeda; Lily-of-the-Valley Shrub. This is one of the loveliest shrubs in our entire collection, for there is not a season in the year when it does not attract attention. The graceful sprays of flower buds are formed in late summer and later the foliage assumes glorious red and bronzy tints. In early spring the buds open into creamy white flowers resembling lilies-of-the-valley. This shrub will develop into a lovely specimen if planted in half shade or full sun. It grows to about 5 feet. 9 to 12 in., \$3.25 each; 3 for \$9.00.

ILEX crenata convexa (bullata). Boxleaf Holly. An outstanding companion for growing with rhododendrons, azaleas, etc., in foundation plantings. The beautiful glossy leaves are almost round in form. Grows to 2 feet. Will stand shearing. 12 to 15 in., \$3.25 each; 3 for \$9.00.

I. crenata Fortunei. Excellent hardy Holly, faster growing than other listed varieties. It has large shiny foliage and a distinct upright habit. Grows into a fine accent plant for foundation plantings. 1 to 1½ ft., \$3.25 each; 3 for \$9.00.



PIERIS JAPONICA

Ilex crenata rotundifolia. Roundleaf Holly. Shiny dark round leaves, retaining good color all year; black berries. In foundation plantings, hedges, or as specimens, it makes a fine showing. 1 to 1½ ft., \$3.25 each; 3 for \$9.00.

BERBERIS

Julianæ. Wintergreen Barberry. Yellow flowers and purple fruit. Strong, upright, hardy; makes a splendid hedge and in foundation planting is at home with rhododendrons and laurels. 1 to 1½ ft., \$2.25 each; 3 for \$6.00.

Suffruticosa. True Dwarf Box. A dwarf, compact-growing variety that retains its tuft-like habit for many years. One of the finest plants we know of for edging. 4 to 6 in., 10 for \$4.85; 25 for \$11.75; 100 for \$45.00.

BUXUS

Sempervirens. Common Boxwood. Fine as a quick-growing border or low hedge, and so popular as to need no description. 12 to 15 in., 10 for \$9.50; 25 for \$21.85.



Pot-Grown MAGNOLIAS

B. & A. Pot-Grown Magnolias Transplant Readily

AVOID those spring "I wish I had's"—make Magnolias a "garden must" for spring 1952. The purchase of B. & A. pot-grown Magnolia varieties in sizes that readily become established cannot fail to give enjoyment now, as well as later, when they have reached a mature size of 5 to 6 feet.

Magnolias thrive in somewhat rich, moderately moist but porous soil, and should be planted in a sunny area to do their best.

Conspicua. Yulan Magnolia. The very large, creamy white, sweet-scented flowers, 6 inches across, appear in April. A small tree with spreading branches.

Soulangeana. Saucer Magnolia. The very popular variety found in northern gardens, which develops into a small tree. Its extra-large, pink-white, tulip-shaped flowers are tinted purple at the edges.

Soulangeana Brozzoni. This variety differs from Soulangeana in that its tulip flower is whiter in effect and does not have the pinkish coloring of its parent, but maintains the purple or reddish edging.

Soulangeana Lennei. Probably one of the most sought after, as its medium-large, tulip-shaped flower is crimson on the outside and white within, providing a beautiful contrast as the flower unfolds. Matures into an open bush.

Soulangeana Nigra. Purple Lily Magnolia. This undoubtedly is the darkest of all the Magnolias hardy in the North. Its flowers are dark purple, providing a contrasting color not often found in spring-flowering trees. It matures into an attractive large bush-like form.

All above Magnolias: \$3.50 each; any two varieties for \$6.50



SOULANGEANA.
\$3.50 each

MAGNOLIA CORDATA

This outstanding Magnolia yields lemon-yellow flowers. An exceedingly rare and beautiful tree when fully established. The delightful fragrance of the lovely blooms, which measure almost 4 inches, perfumes the garden air in April and May. As these plants are too large for potting, we offer only strong, field-grown plants, which must be shipped balled and burlapped. \$5.00 each.



AZALEA MUCRONULATUM

Special Offer

1 Azalea mollis; 1 Azalea mucronulatum; 1 Azalea Schlippenbachii

for \$7.85

(Regular value \$9.50)

Special Azalea Mollis Offer!

4 plants, 9 to 12 in.

for \$10.85

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Rare GHENT AZALEA HYBRIDS

This class embraces gorgeous colors not commonly found in Azaleas, including white. They are unsurpassed where ruggedness and dashing color is needed. Growing 3 to 4 feet in height with an equal spread, they withstand New England winters, provided some protection from the wind is given them and a suitable mulch applied.

Coccinea speciosa. Single flowers of vivid reddish orange.

Daviesi. Single, creamy white flowers with a yellow blotch.

Milton. Double; white.

Nancy Waterer. Single; pure lemon-yellow.

Norma. Double; bright rose.

Raphael de Smet. Double; bright pink.

Sang de Gentbrugge. Single; deep orange-crimson.

William III. Single; clear bright orange.

All above Ghent Azaleas: 1 to 1½ ft., \$5.50 each

East Rutherford, N. J.

Hardy Deciduous Azaleas

DECIDUOUS Azaleas have many advantages over other types of Azalea. They do not suffer from winter cold and wind as do the evergreen varieties, and are therefore long-lived, increasing in stature and beauty every year. They are ideally suited for mass planting or as individual specimens.

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POPULAR DECIDUOUS AZALEAS

Altaclarensis. This is considered the finest orange-yellow Azalea in existence. When fully established the individual floret is exceptionally large and the cluster of flowers about the size of a baseball. The handsome trusses open to a final glorious pure yellow. 9 to 12 in., \$3.50 each; 3 for \$9.75.

Mucronulatum. Dahurian Azalea. The earliest Azalea to bloom—usually in April—and when its large, single flowers of frilled violet-rose open with the yellow of the forsythia, a beautiful color arrangement has been brought into effect. 1 to 1½ ft., \$3.25 each; 3 for \$9.00. 1½ to 2 ft., \$5.25 each; 3 for \$14.75.

Ponticum. Yellow Azalea. A matchless yellow of aristocratic brilliance, which flowers in late May. Its thrilling, exciting sweet honeysuckle fragrance will never be forgotten. Blooms freely and will enliven all companion plants. 9 to 12 in., \$3.00 each; 3 for \$9.00

Schlippenbachii. Royal Azalea. This Azalea has two outstanding qualities: fine fall coloring and large, single, delicate rose-pink flowers in late April. The autumn foliage is a combination of crimson and gold. Enhances other deciduous varieties when interplanted with them. 9 to 12 in., \$3.25 each; 3 for \$9.00.



AZALEA ALTAACLARENSE

A. MOLLIS

Notable for its attractive large flowers in May. Hardy in this latitude and thrives under ordinary garden treatment but prefers a partially protected spot. Useful under trees, in mixed plantings, or planted with rhododendron where the delicate shades of yellow, golden salmon, terra-cotta, etc., contrast so well with the rhododendron foliage. Mixed colors. 9 to 12 in., \$3.00 each.

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AZALEA MOLLIS HYBRID, MIXED COLORS ONLY



Pot-Grown HARDY VINES

GROUND-COVER RECOMMENDATIONS

Hedera Helix
Lonicera Halliana
Pachysandra. See page 37.
Potentilla. See page 37.
Vinca. See page 38.

SCREEN out unsightly areas by using vines to beautify bare walls of a house, garage, chimney or trellis; or cover the barren spots under trees or along walks and house foundations. All our vines are well-established plants in pots for easy transplanting.

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ENGLISH IVY, (Hedera helix)

Grows in either sun or shade. Good ground cover under trees, on banks, graves, or any place grass fails. 3-in. pots, 50 cts. each; 10 for \$4.50; 100 for \$40.00. 4½-in. pots, 85 cts. each; 10 for \$7.85.

Hedera helix Baltica. Baltic Ivy. Considered hardy as far north as Massachusetts. 85 cts. each; 10 for \$7.85.

H. helix Caenwoodiana. This beautiful Ivy has lustrous blackish green leaves with whitish veins, making it very desirable in both the summer and winter landscape. Very hardy. An excellent clinging variety. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

DECIDUOUS IVY

Ampelopsis tricuspidata Lowi. Miniature Boston Ivy. A miniature Boston Ivy with a delicate, soft covering habit. Much desired for smaller buildings or walls. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

A. Veitchi. Boston Ivy. See illustration.

HONEYSUCKLE

LONICERA Halliana. Hall's Honeysuckle.

One of the best ground covers for steep slopes. A few plants placed at the top of a bank will quickly make a complete green mat of foliage, as these plants root at every node and keep the soil from eroding. Strong grower. Will do well in full sun or partial shade. 10 for \$4.00; 100 for \$35.00.

For other Honeysuckle, see Shrub page.



CLIMBING HYDRANGEA
(*Hydrangea Petiolaris*)

Climbs on any surface. Very hardy. Easy to grow. Blooms in July. \$3.75 each.



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(*Ampelopsis Veitchi*)

Covers wood, brick, stucco, or stone. Very popular. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

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(*Polygonum Auberti*)

Excellent for covering trellis, fences, pergolas, etc. Fast growing. \$1.00 each; 3 for \$2.50.

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*The Most Decorative
of All Climbing
Flowering Plants*

SPECIAL OFFER LARGE-FLOWERING HYBRID CLEMATIS 3 Colorful Climbers

Duchess of Edinburgh
Mme. Edouard Andre
Ramona

for \$4.25

(Regular value \$5.00)

CLEMATIS Montana Rubens

An excellent small-flowered Asiatic variety, well known for its hardiness, vibrant coloring and rampant growth. Its rosy red flowers measure 1 to 2 inches across, and change to a deep clear pink in late May and early June. Its attractive foliage is close and dense, offering a beautiful contrast to the floriferousness of this exceptionally fine Clematis. Given a good support to cling to, it will grow 10 feet high, offering good coverage for bare walls, etc. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$3.75.

LARGE-FLOWERING CLEMATIS HYBRIDS

Duchess of Edinburgh. Truly a fine double white variety producing large, fragrant blooms. \$1.50 each.

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Mme. Edouard Andre. Bright velvety red with a purplish cast. \$1.75 each.

Ramona. Fine clear lavender-blue flowers with rounded petals and darker anthers. \$1.75 each.

SMALL-FLOWERING

Paniculata. Virgins-Bower. The most useful and beautiful of the small-flowering Clematis. It is a luxuriant grower and a profuse bloomer with fine foliage. The fine white flowers are exceptionally fragrant and resemble snowflakes in summer. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

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H. D. Crepuscule. An excellent bush-type Clematis which has proved easy to grow everywhere. Flowers are a clear light blue and clustered. Very fragrant. It blooms in August and September at a time when other plants are resting. Attains a height of 2 to 3 feet and is very hardy. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.30.



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THE FINAL TOUCH needed to complete a garden scheme is the proper placing of a desirable tree. They may be used as accents; to outline paths and borders; to provide welcome shade; to furnish interesting patterns of light and shadow; to supply flowers, berries or foliage effects; or to add a feeling of quiet to the garden atmosphere.



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CORNUS florida. White-flowering Dogwood.

Lovely large single white blooms in May. Adorned in fall by brilliant foliage and red berries. 3 to 4 ft., \$3.00 each.

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In character and form it is identical to the white variety, with flowers a varied shade of pink. 2 to 3 ft., \$3.50 each.

LABURNUM. Golden-Chain Tree. A very unusual, upright-growing tree having racemes of brilliant yellow flowers. Adaptable to a wide range of soils and climatic conditions. 3 to 4 ft., \$3.50 each; 2 for \$6.50; 4 to 5 ft., \$4.85 each; 3 for \$9.00.

FLOWERING CRABAPPLE

MALUS atrosanguinea. Carmine Crab.

About May the well-formed head of this small tree is covered with clusters of dark pink and carmine flowers. Grows into a handsome specimen. 3 to 4 ft., \$2.75 each.

M. floribunda. Japanese Flowering Crab.

A glorious sight in early May with its contrasting pink buds and white flowers. Yellow fruits. 3 to 4 ft., \$2.75 each.

M. ioensis Bechteli. Bechtel's Crab.

One of the most picturesque of the double-flowering Crabs. Soft pink blooms on a medium-sized plant. 2 to 2½ ft., \$2.75 each.

M. Scheideckeri. Scheidecker Crab.

Large, double, bright pink flowers of lasting quality, followed later by a profusion of waxy yellow fruits. 3 to 4 ft., \$2.75 each.

JAPANESE RED MAPLE

(Acer palmatum atropurpureum)

A very showy small shrub or tree having purple red foliage. May be grown as a specimen or with other shrubs. Throughout the growing season it never fails to be graceful or attractive. If planted in a sunny site having good drainage, it will be found very satisfactory. 12 to 15 in., \$3.50 each; 2 for \$6.50.

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FOR LOCAL SALES ONLY

At the Sales Grounds in East Rutherford

GINKGO biloba fastigiata. Pyramidal

Maidenhair-Tree. This is a pyramidal form especially valued as a windbreak or as an accent in formal plantings. The dark green leaves turn yellow in the fall. Very hardy and of easy cultivation. Should be grown much more extensively because of its excellent habit and resistance to plant pests. 5 to 6 ft., \$6.50 each.

MOUNTAIN ASH.

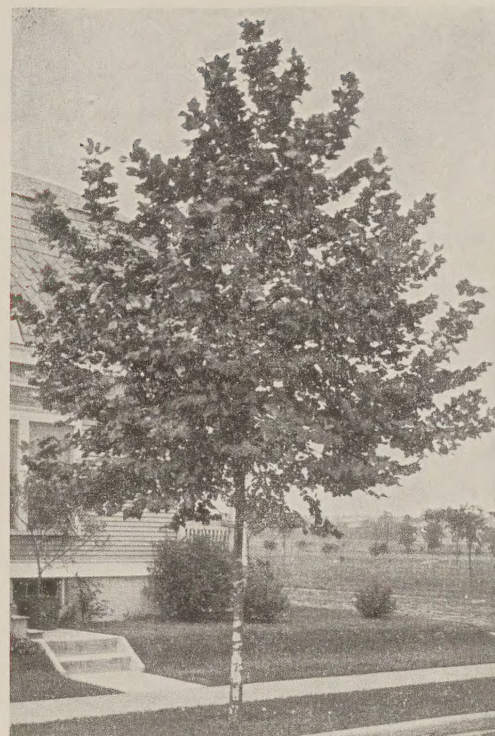
In the fall this tree is covered with large clusters of orange-scarlet berries. Very attractive to birds. A fine specimen tree for the lawn; neat, compact medium growth to about 20 to 25 feet. 6 to 8 ft., \$4.25 each; 8 to 10 ft., \$5.50 each.

NORWAY MAPLE.

Produces a dense head of dark green leaves that turn yellow in fall. Good shade tree or lawn specimen. 8 to 9 ft., \$9.75 each.

PLATANUS orientalis. Oriental Plane.

A large tree for park and avenue planting. Thick, bright green, fine-lobed foliage. The bark is shed from the trunk in large flakes. 8 to 10 ft., \$7.75 each.



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DECIDUOUS *Flowering Shrubs*

Beautify and Improve Your Home Grounds

THE members of this large family of hardy plants adapt themselves readily to most soils and situations and are found useful for many purposes. Excellent for screen planting, hedges, borders, etc. To insure success it is advisable at planting time to cut the branches of these plants back at least one half. This treatment will help the plant to become established and flower earlier than if allowed to remain as received.

ABELIA grandiflora. Glossy Abelia. A very lovely shrub which bears a continuous supply of white and pink, arbutus-like flowers from early summer until frost. Foliage so glossy that it sparkles in the sunlight. Grows about 3 feet. Recommended for any shrub border in groups or alone. Highly useful as a hedge for sunny or partly shaded situations. Pot-grown. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

A. Schumannii. Flowers are larger, brighter, and more freely produced than those of the *Grandiflora*. Pinkish lilac, with a yellow throat. Grows 3 to 4 feet high. Pot-grown. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

ALTHEA (Rose of Sharon)

A very desirable, upright-growing shrub used in mixed plantings or by itself, as it produces large, showy flowers in August and September when few other flowers are in evidence. Highly recommended for late summer bloom.

Ardens. A very fine double variety having unusual rose-violet flowers.

Boule de Feu. A very striking double bright red.

Jeanne D'Arc. Semi-double; white.

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Considered the finest of all the single white Altheas. Flowers unusually large—4 inches or more across. Blooms earlier than most other varieties. \$2.00 each; 3 for \$5.50.

ARONIA arbutifolia. Red Chokeberry. A densely branched shrub with clustered white flowers in May. Very attractive, bright red berries in fall. Does well in low places. \$1.50 each.

FORSYTHIA, LINWOOD GOLD

Plant
Flowering
Shrubs
in Either
Spring
or
Late Fall

KOLKWITZIA amabilis

ENKIANTHUS campanulatus

BERBERIS Thunbergi. Japanese Barberry.

A fine hedge plant having spray-like, spiny branches thickly covered with small leaves that turn to a beautiful red in autumn. During the winter months, the bright scarlet fruit is very showy. Will serve as a living barrier on corners of property. 1 to 1½ ft., 10 for \$4.50; 100 for \$40.00.

B. Thunbergi atropurpurea. Redleaf Barberry. Growing habits the same as above, but this variety is more showy. It has bright red leaves as they break forth in early spring. Very colorful. 1 to 1¼ ft., 10 for \$5.50.

CALYCANTHUS floridus. Strawberry Shrub.

A most attractive and unusual shrub having dark red or chocolate-colored flowers in early spring, which are pleasing with their spicy fragrance. A beautiful ornamental shrub. \$1.75 each.

CARYOPTERIS Clandonensis BLUE MIST

A great advance over its familiar relative, *C. incana*, and making a gray-green dome some 3 feet high. Its whorled spikes of blooms of soft plumbago-blue are beautiful. Plant in front of *Kerria japonica*, the yellow-flowering shrubs. Hardy and free flowering. Sept., Oct. \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00.

CORYLOPSIS SPICATA (Spike Winterhazel)

A different and most attractive shrub in early spring. Flowers are exceptionally bright yellow in April. The bluish green foliage provides a contrast with other spring-flowering shrubs. \$3.50 each.

COTONEASTER horizontalis. Rock Cotonaster. A delightful, dwarf shrub of trailing habit, fine for rockeries or by a pool. It is covered in autumn and winter with brilliant red berries. Pot-grown, \$1.50 each; 3 for \$4.00; 10 for \$11.75.

ENKIANTHUS campanulatus. Redvein Enkianthus. A very handsome and graceful shrub from Japan, which will thrive in any well-drained soil that has had humus added. Upright in habit, bearing pale orange, bell-like flowers veined with red. Its rich green foliage turns brilliant red in the autumn. We highly recommend this outstanding shrub for any location. 1½ to 2 ft., \$2.75 each.

FORSYTHIA, LINWOOD GOLD

New

This splendid new Forsythia, which originated in Ireland, has been tried and tested, and now without hesitation we highly recommend its use in plantings where something new and different is needed. The branches of this new sensation are literally smothered with golden yellow flowers from top to bottom. Very erect growing. Excellent for winter cutting and flowering indoors. Ultimate height about 5 to 7 feet. \$2.50 each. Because of limited supply, not more than 3 to a customer.

FORSYTHIA intermedia spectabilis. Showy Border Forsythia. The Forsythia has become so popular that we scarcely need to describe it. This variety is particularly desirable because of its profusion of bloom and vigorous growth. Foliage a good dark green. \$1.75 each.



CALYCANTHUS floridus



CORYLOPSIS SPICATA



DECIDUOUS FLOWERING SHRUBS, continued

FOTHERGILLA major. Distinctive whether in bloom or only in leaf. The little flowers, shaped like a bottlebrush, appear just before the leaves in late April, singly or in small clusters. The bronzy leaves are deeply ridged at first, becoming somewhat smoother with age. In fall they turn bright yellow. Grows to about 6 feet. \$2.50 each.

HYDRANGEA hortensis, Blue. Blue Hydrangea. Great heads of blue flowers that create a spectacular effect. Blooms appear in July and August. Does well in northern gardens and at the seashore. Grows 3 to 4 feet. \$3.00 each.

H. opuloides acuminata. This is another plant with a name that does not compliment its fine qualities. It blooms at a time when most other shrubs have ended, usually during late June or early July. Flowers are an unusual blue, with very attractive ribbed foliage throughout the summer and fall seasons. It is not to be confused with the Blue Hydrangea listed above. \$3.00 each.

KOLKWTZIA amabilis. Beauty-Bush. As the name implies, this shrub is a beauty. When established, its long curving branches are literally alive with clusters of pink and white flowers in May. Its foliage maintains a good green throughout the season. Grows to 6 feet. \$1.75 each.

LIGUSTRUM ovalifolium. California Privet. Large, glossy dark green foliage. One of the most popular hedge plants. Excellent for a dense screen in smaller yards. Thrives in almost any situation and retains its foliage until late in the winter. 2 to 3 ft., 10 for \$3.25; 100 for \$28.00.

LONICERA fragrantissima. Fragrant Honeysuckle. A very fine shrub having rather round, bright green leaves which are blue-green beneath, providing a fine contrast when blown in the wind. Its creamy white flowers appear before the leaves in the spring and are exceptionally fragrant. \$1.75 each.

LONICERA YUNNANENSIS New

A very attractive and useful shrub for many purposes but probably handicapped by its name. Native of northern China and very hardy; in the temperate zone it is considered evergreen. Its characteristics are grace and daintiness, for its glossy tiny individual leaves are very distinctive and a pleasing dark green. The flowers are minute and are clustered beneath the foliage in May. Shiny black berries in the autumn. An excellent subject for interplanting with other shrubs or as a specimen by itself. Lends itself to shearing. \$2.50 each; 3 for \$7.00.

PHILADELPHUS virginialis. Virginal Mock-Orange. Immense, fragrant, double white flowers in large clusters. Blooms in May, June and fall. Grows 5 to 6 feet. \$1.75 each.

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POLYGONUM amplexicaule rubrum. Mountain Fleece-Flower. This is truly a different and unusual herbaceous shrub, displaying a shower of striking red fleecy flowers during September on stalks or branches about 5 or 6 feet in height. The flower racemes are pendulous and break from each leaf axil, creating a profusion of bloom amidst fine verdant foliage. Being deciduous, the branches and stalks freeze back to the ground each winter but more and stronger new cane-like stalks come up again. \$1.25 each; 3 for \$3.25.

SPIREA, Anthony Waterer. Flat heads of rosy pink flowers all summer. Dwarf nature and attractive foliage. \$1.75 each.

S. Vanhouttei. Van Houtte Spirea. A graceful pendulous shrub of 6 feet. Pure white flowers. Fine subject for hedging. \$1.50 each.

VIBURNUM Burkwoodi. Fragrant Viburnum. Very fragrant and semi-evergreen, hardy and vigorous. Waxy pinkish white flowers. Brilliant fall coloring when grown in dry locations. Pot-grown plants, \$2.50 each.

WEIGELA, Eva Rathke. A large shrub with very thick, sturdy stems. Trumpet-shaped, dark crimson flowers appear in late spring. Their strikingly rich color has made it very popular. \$1.75 each.

W. rosea. Extra-large, rose-colored flowers in May. Plant grows rather broad and has attractive foliage. \$1.50 each.

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We'll help you decide what to plant. It's fun and great relaxation to do your own gardening

It is impossible to list all the plants we grow. The larger trees, specimen evergreens and shrubs that require transplanting with a ball of earth, are mainly for local sales; it is obvious why it is not practical or economical to transport them any distance by rail. Come see them.

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